



Beam Monitoring for Detector Protection at CDF

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How Does Beam Effect the Detector?

Chronic Radiation Damage

- surface damage to silicon electronics
- bulk damage to silicon sensor and electronics

Acute Radiation Damage

- damage or failure of detector system due to categories below

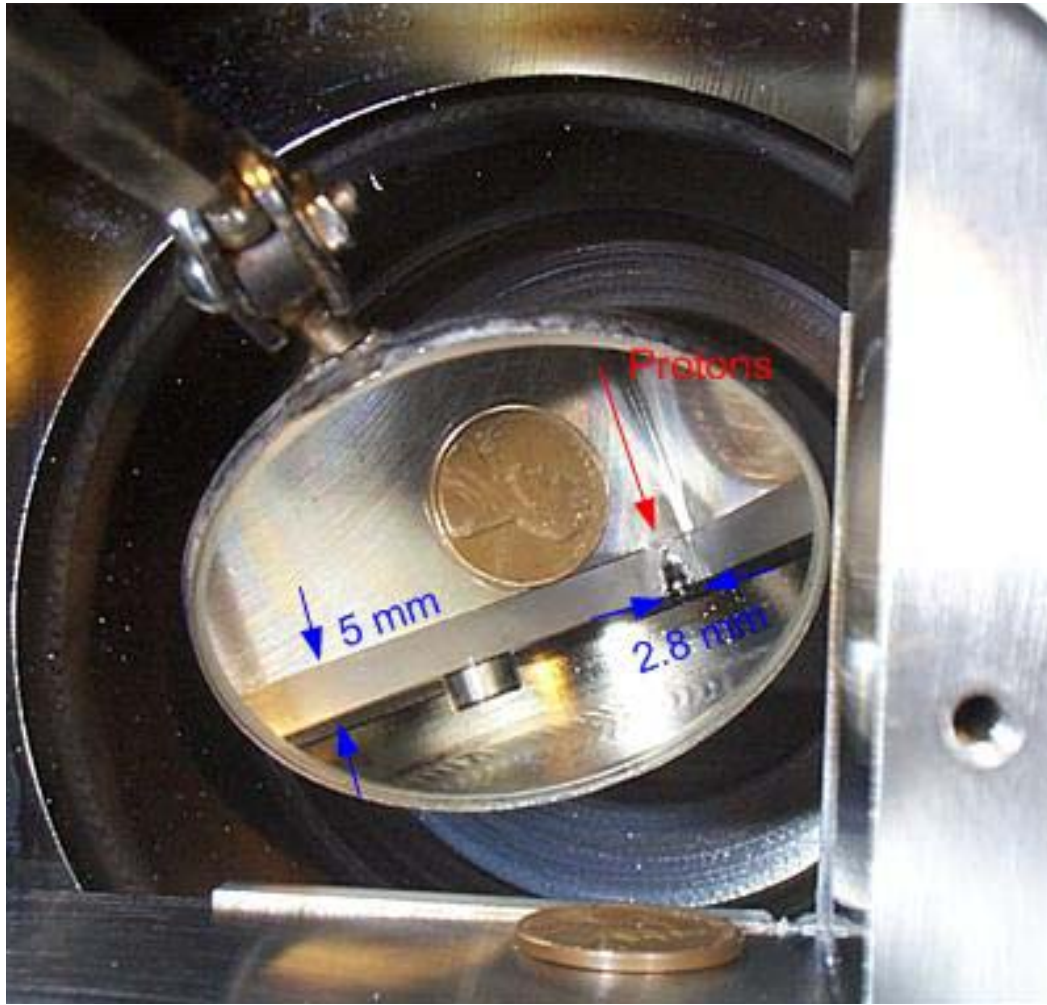
Single Event Effects (SEE) in Electronics

- corruption of instrumentation
- state changes
- data corruption

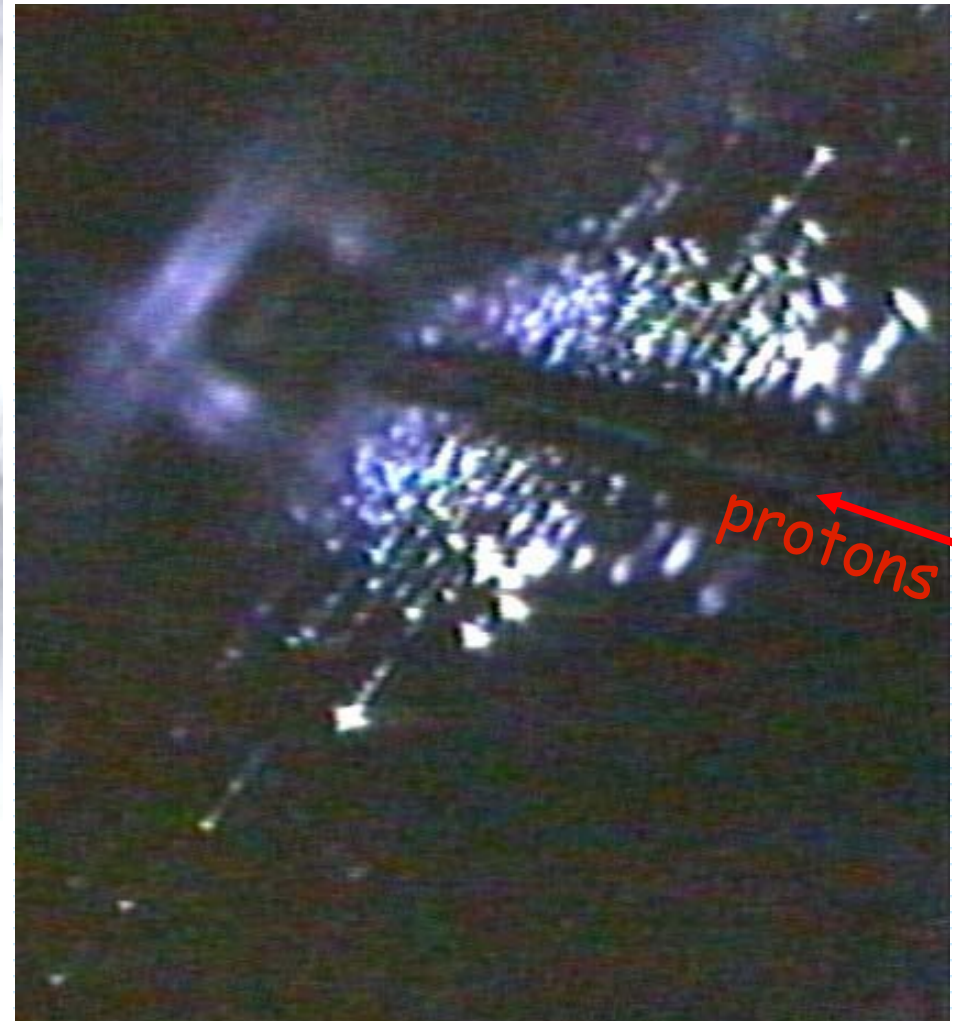
Catastrophic Failures

- functional destruction of some portion of the system
- physical destruction of some portion of the system

Corrector Magnet Quench 12/5/03



D03 collimator hit by proton beam
(1.5 m steel)



D49 "target" hit by proton beam
(5mm tungsten plate)



What Problems are Expected?

What can go wrong will and at the worst possible moment. – Murphy

High radiation dose rates

- high luminosity
- high beam losses

Failure to control beam

- RF
- apertures
- accelerator tune
- dampers
- vacuum
- abort

Any beam control device has the potential to fail and result in loss of beam control.



Understanding the Problem

*If you know the enemy and you know yourself, you need not fear the result of a hundred battles –
Sun-Tzu (ca.400 BC)*

Lack of beam/accelerator control is the enemy!

Know the enemy:

- Understand the accelerator
- Understand accelerator instrumentation
- Add instrumentation: gain intelligence on accelerator performance

Know yourself:

- Know your detector
- Understand your instrumentation

Main Control Room is an ally!



Talk Organization

I. Introduction to the Tevatron and CDF

- accelerator
- CDF detector
- beam instrumentation

II. Experience

- what we've done right
- what we've done wrong

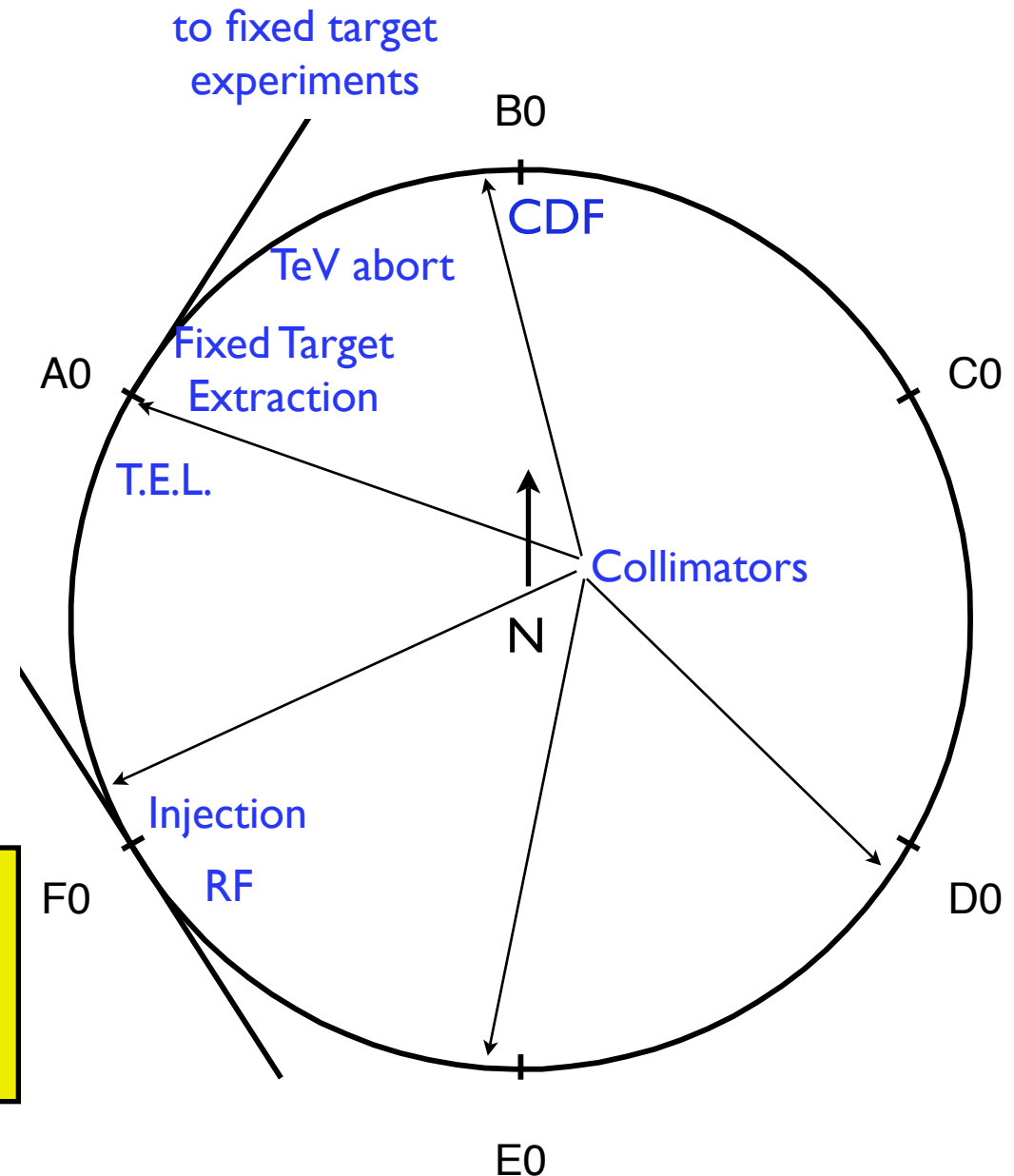
Disclaimers:

- Much of the information presented here is summarized from other, much more detailed sources.
- Some of the work in this talk is in progress, I attempt to represents our best understanding.
- Some crucial instrumentation omitted from this talk for brevity.

Accelerator Map

- 6 sectors (A-F)
- 5 houses/sector (0-4)
 - Accelerator access
 - Tevatron infrastructure (power, water, cryogenics, etc.)
- Abort near A0
 - devices near CDF are aperture restrictions downstream of abort.

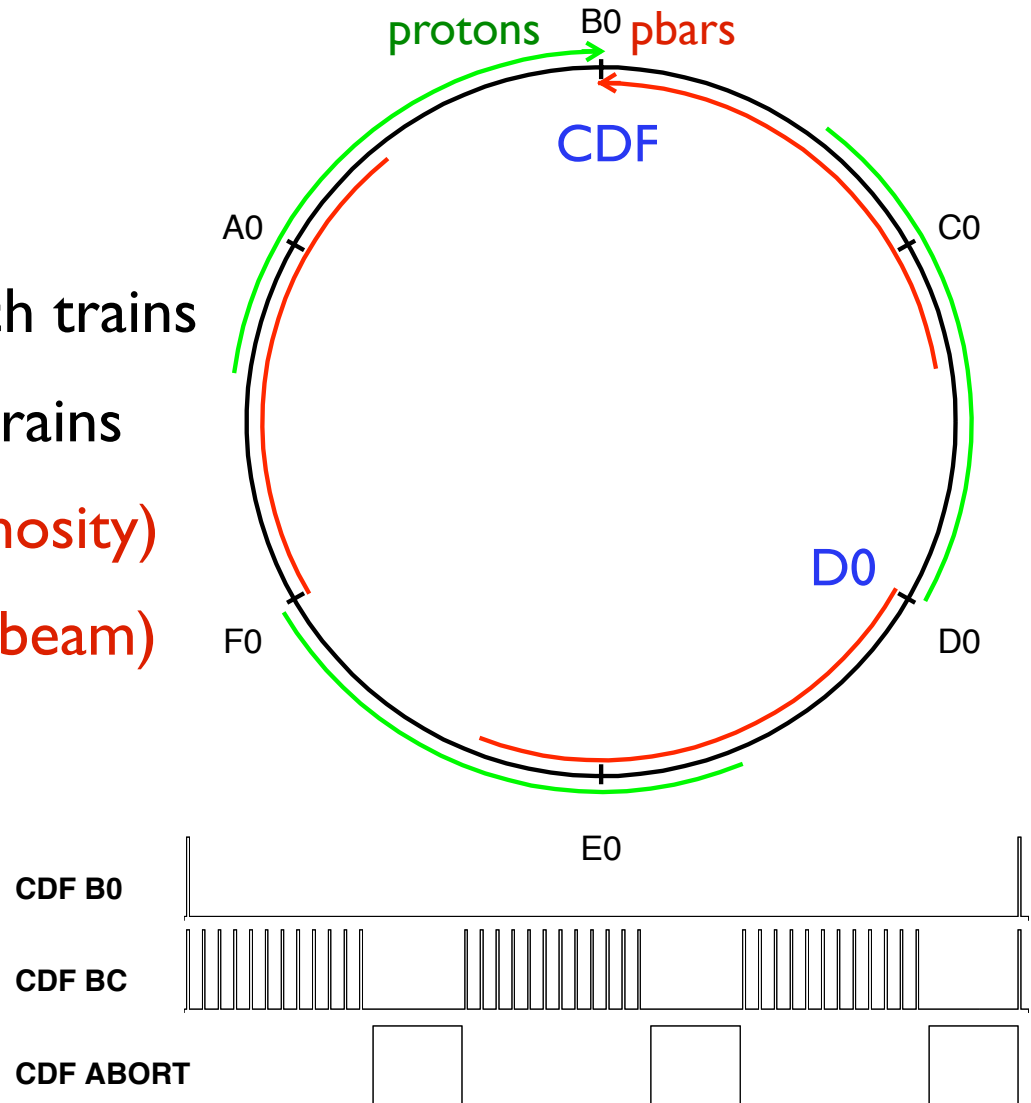
**** Devices far from CDF affect beam quality**



Beam Structure

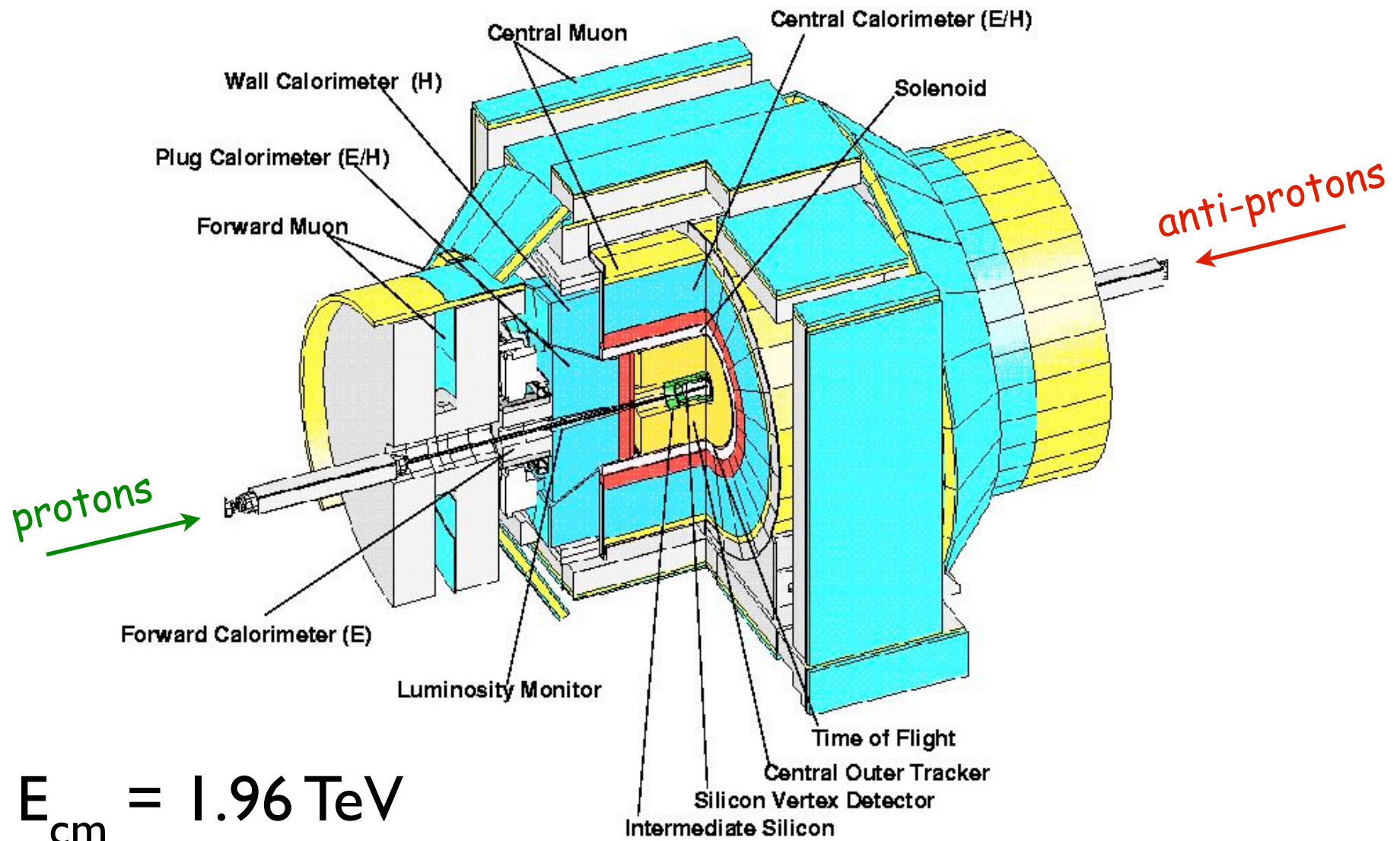
Tevatron

- 36 Ins bunches in 3x12 bunch trains
- $\sim 2\mu\text{s}$ space between bunch trains
- * Monitor collision rates (luminosity)
- * Monitor losses (in time with beam)
- * Monitor beam in abort gaps



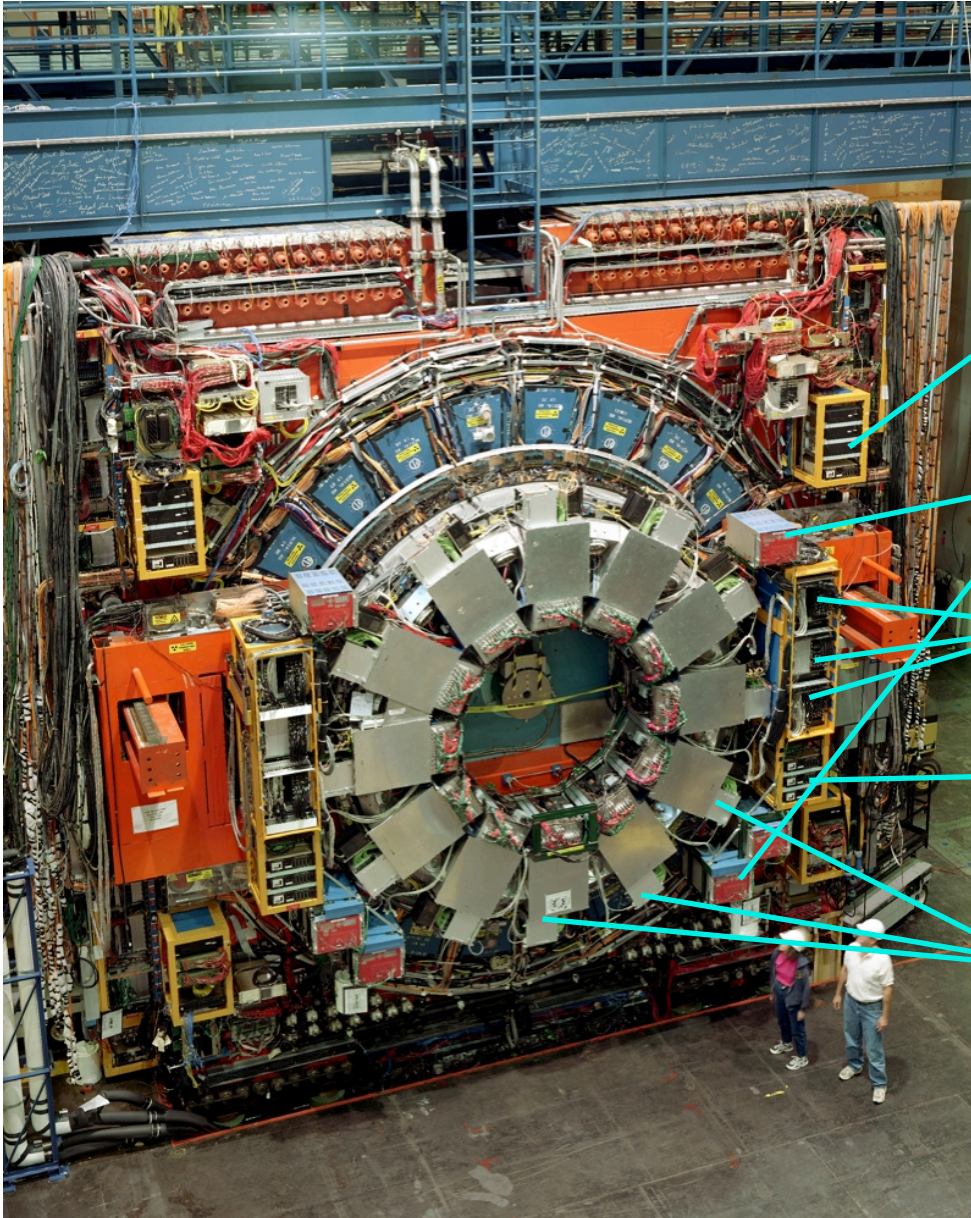


CDF-II Detector (G-rated)





CDF Detector (Adults Only)



Readout, control and support electronics located on the detector:

5kW custom low voltage (LV) switching power supplies

Commercial remotely operated high voltage (HV) switching power supplies

Custom digitizing and readout electronics
9U VME crate (FPGA based)

1 kW commercial low voltage (LV) linear power supplies.

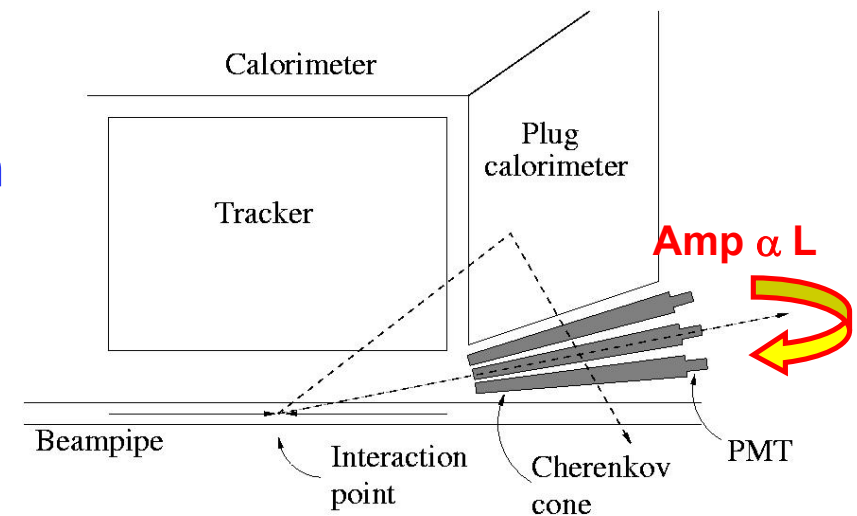
Custom digitizing and readout electronics
6U VME crate (FPGA based)



Luminosity Measurement

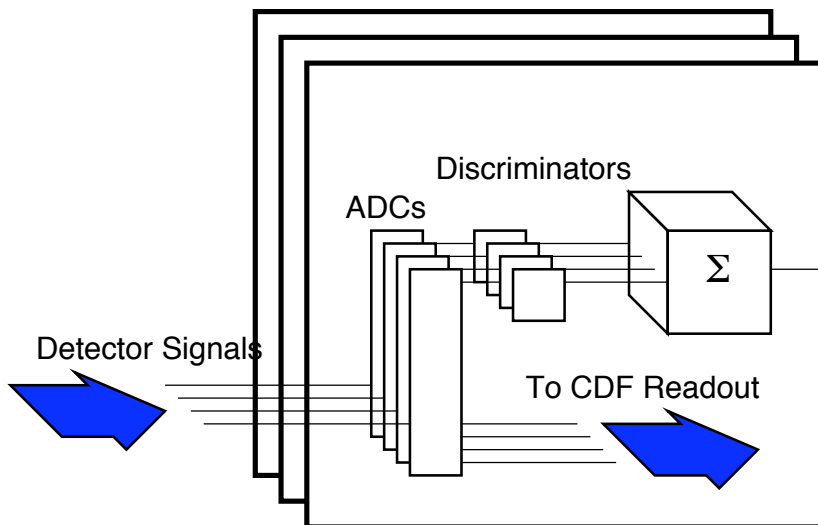
Cherenkov Luminosity Counters (CLC):

- 96 counters (48 each side of IP)
- sensitive to collisions
- timing and pulse height information
- realtime monitor to accelerator



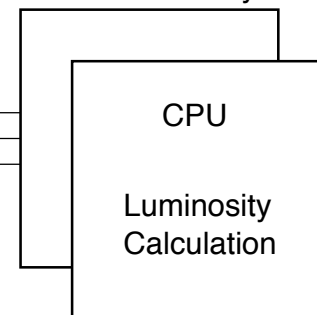
Functional Diagram of Electronics

9U VME



6U VME

Dual Port Memory



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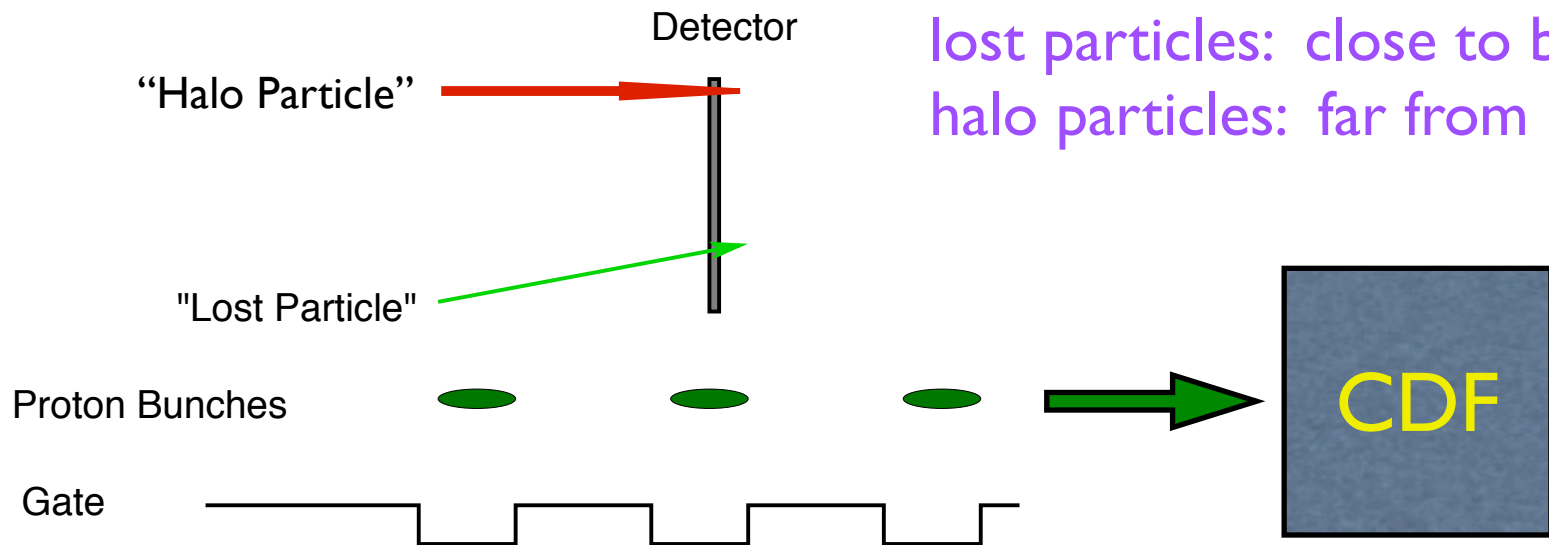
Measuring Beam Losses/Halo

Beam Losses all calculated in the same fashion

- Detector signal in coincidence with beam passing the detector plane.
- ACNET variables differ by detector/gating method.
- Gate on bunches and abort gaps.

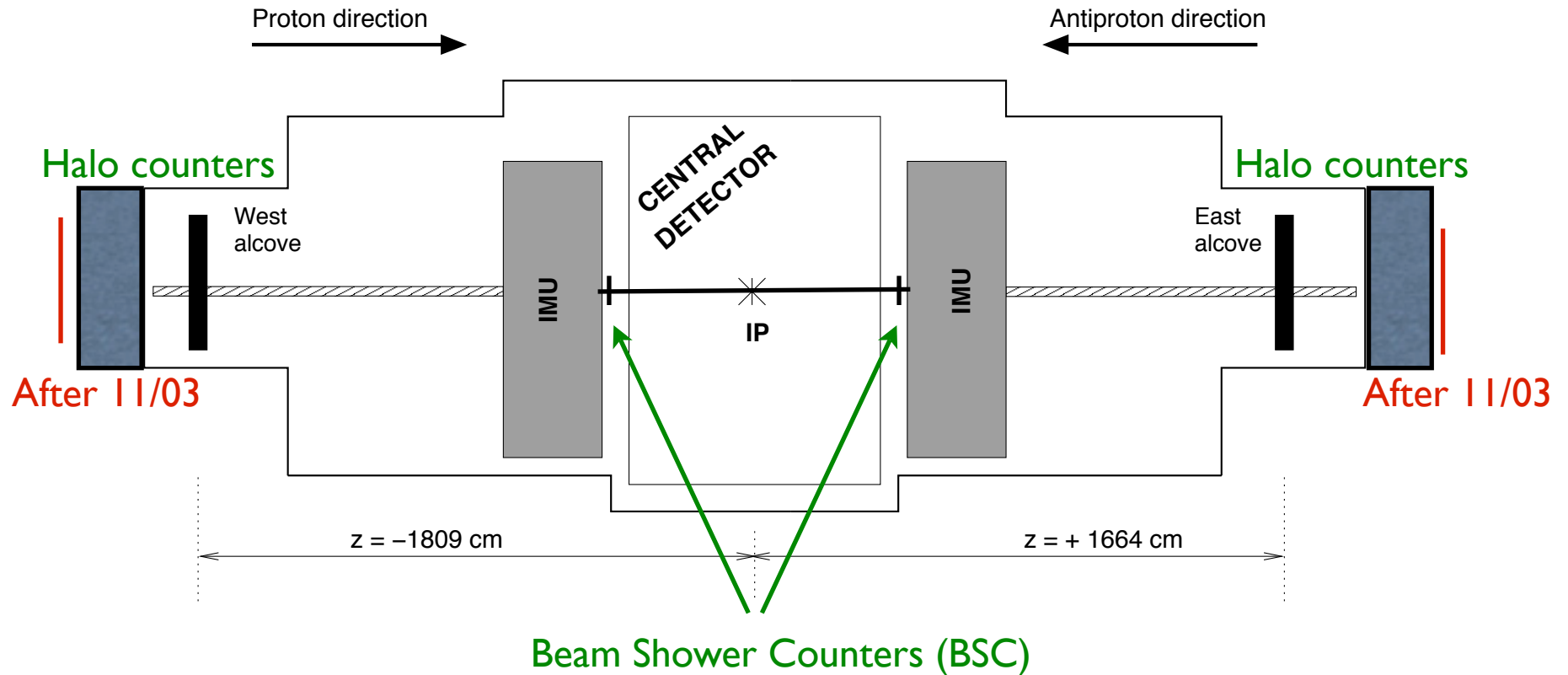
Definitions:

lost particles: close to beam
halo particles: far from beam





Beam Monitors



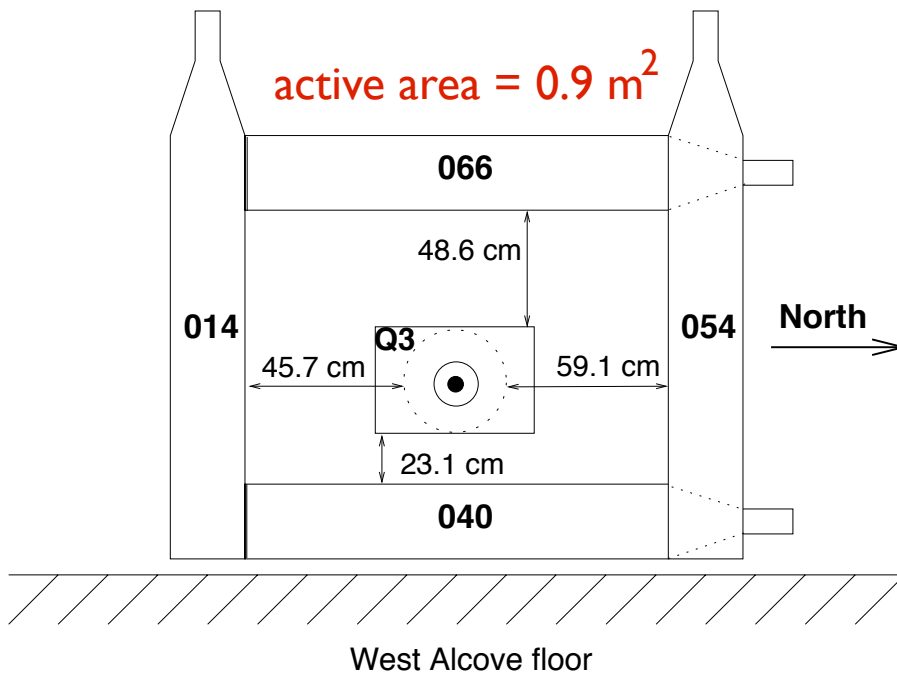
BSC counters: monitor beam losses and abort gap

Halo counters: monitor beam halo and abort gap

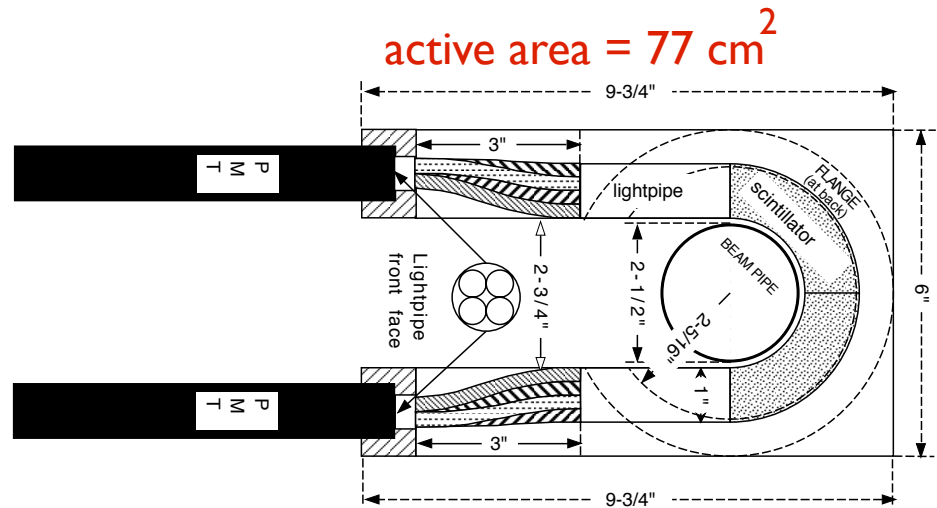


Detectors

Halo Counters



Beam Shower Counters



ACNET variables:

B0PHSM: beam halo
B0PBSM: abort gap losses
B0PAGC: 2/4 coincidence abort gap losses

B0PLOS: proton losses (digital)
LOSTP: proton losses (analog)
B0MSC3: abort gap losses (E*V coincidence)



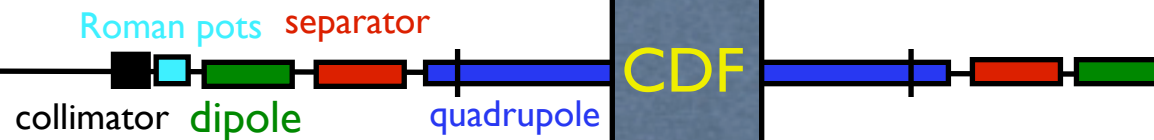
Beam Halo Counters



Protons



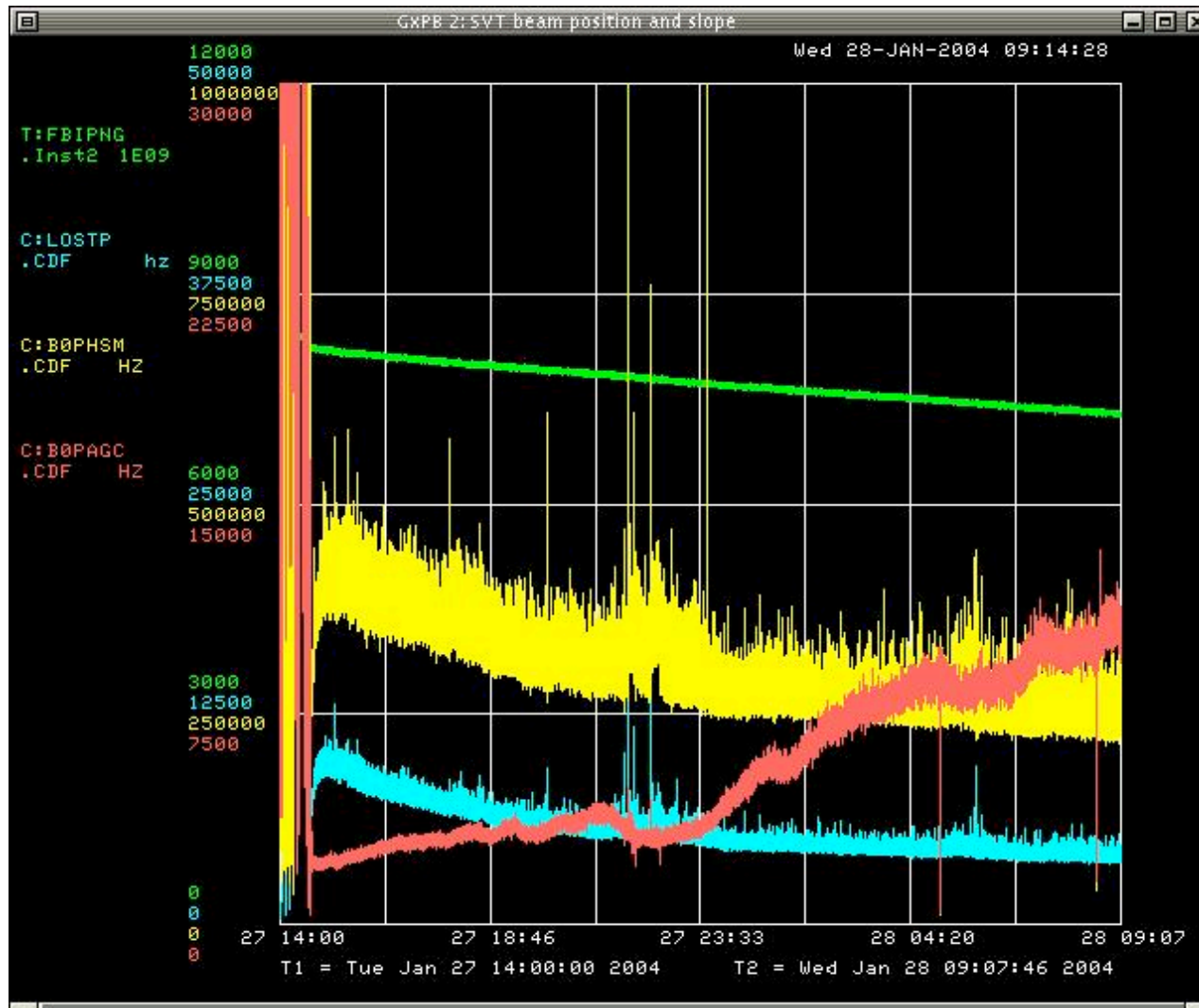
Antiprotons





Monitor Experience

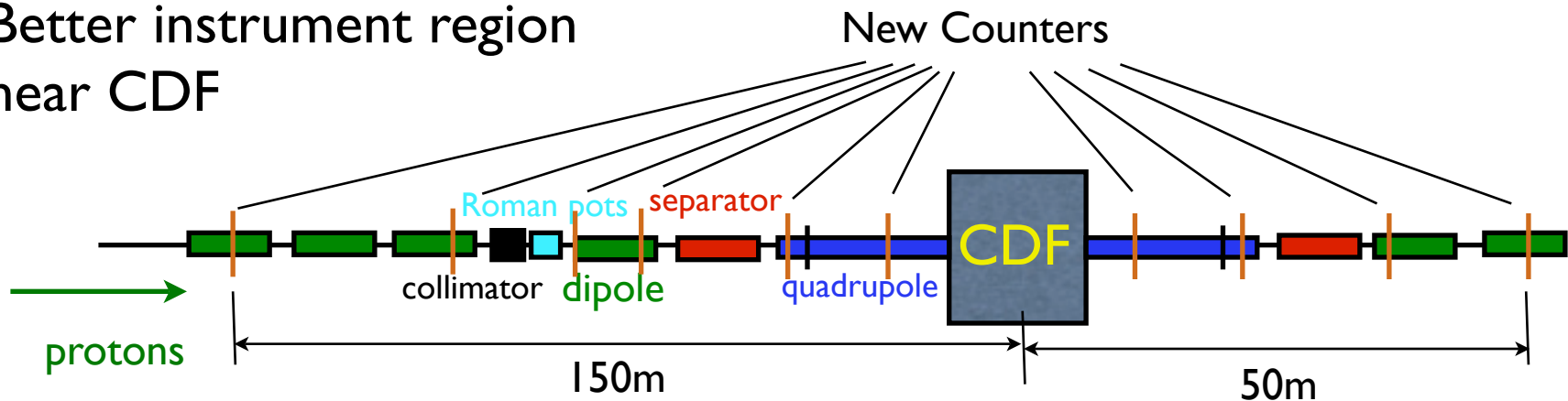
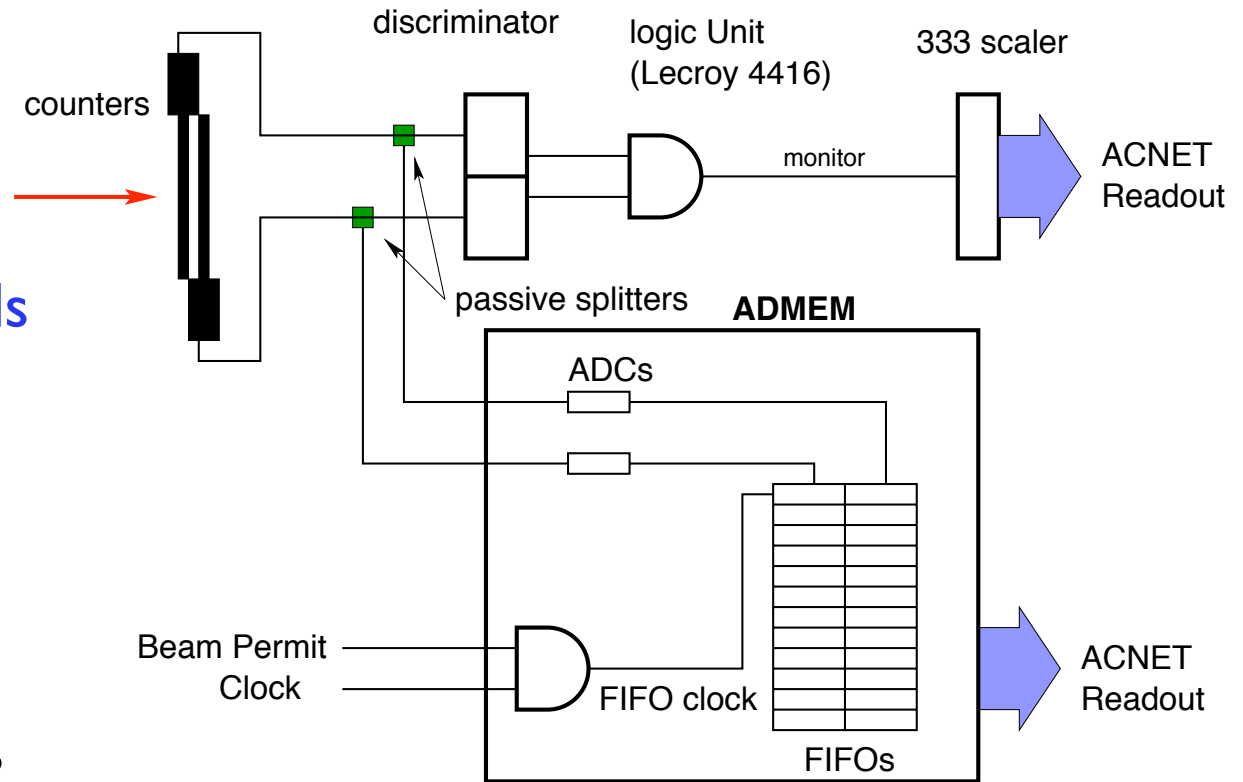
Typical Good Store (2004)





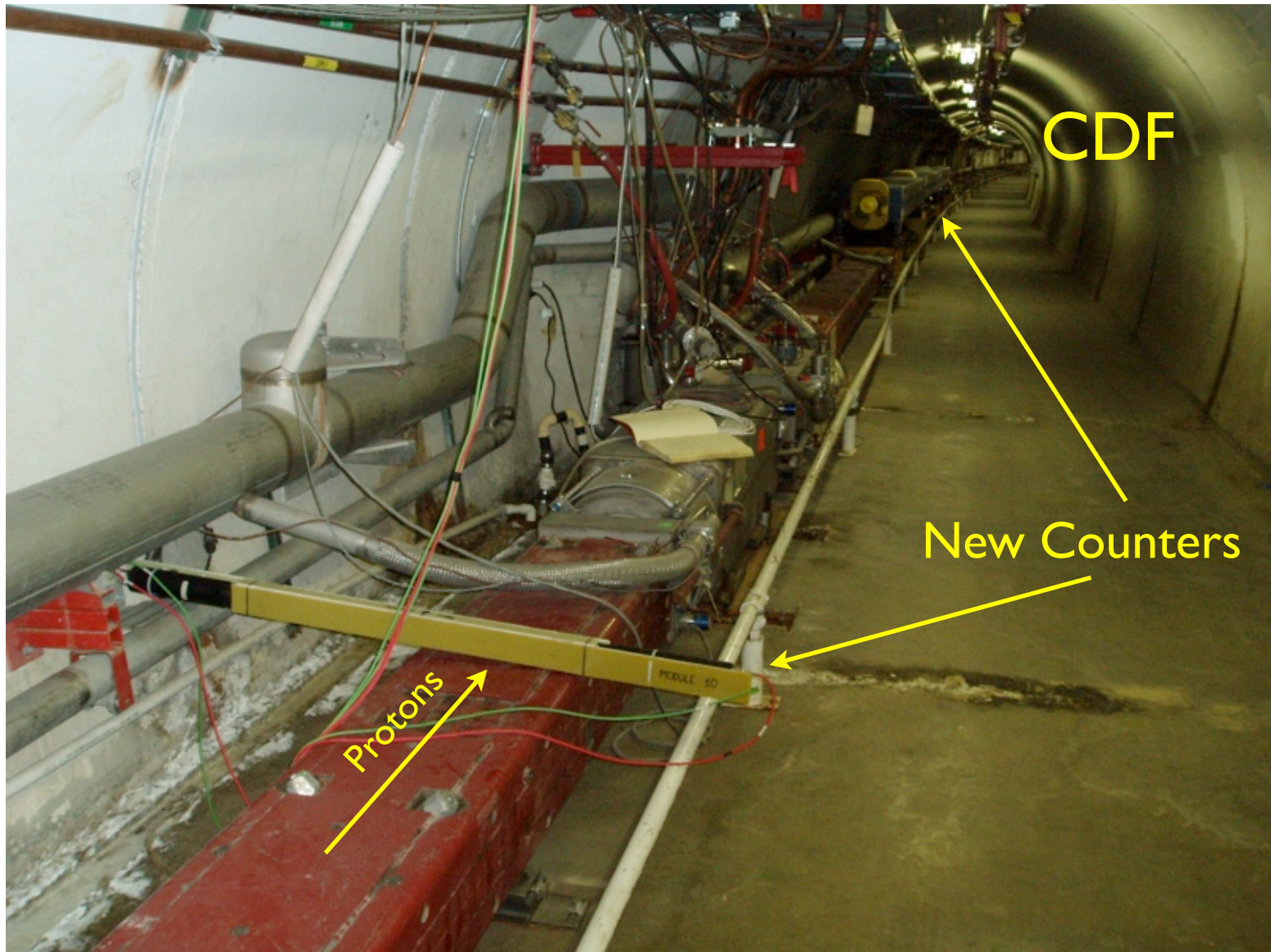
New Halo/Loss System in 2006

- 2 Counter coincidence
 - Suppress backgrounds
 - Calibrate *in situ*
- Additional Electronics
 - Digitize every bunch
 - Deep FIFO (record several revolutions)
- Reconstruct “accidents”
- Better instrument region near CDF





New Halo/Beam Abort System



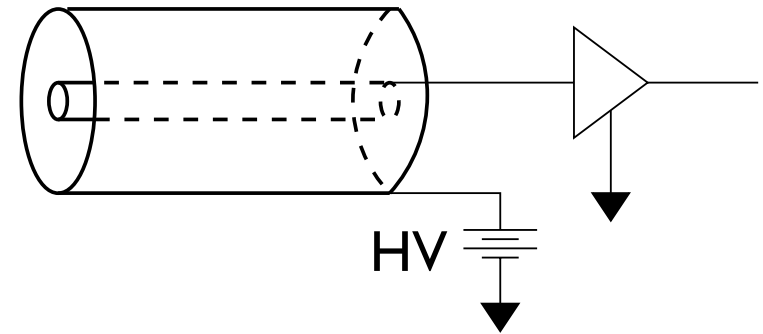
System being commissioned!



Beam Loss Monitors (BLM)

Cylindrical Ionization Chamber

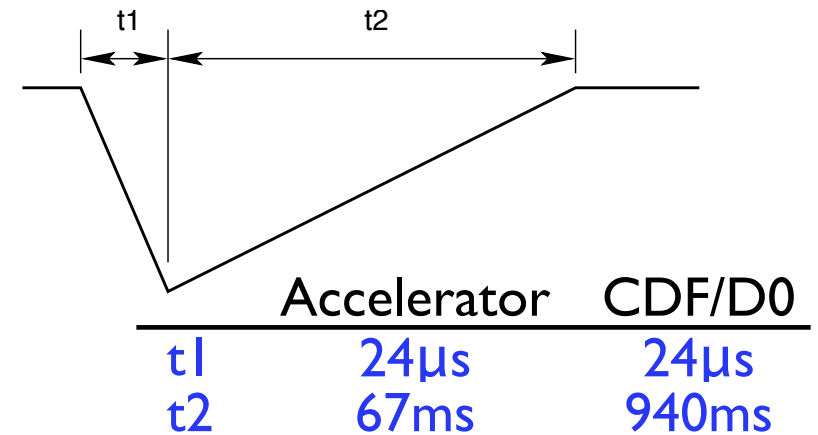
- 110 cc Ar @ atmospheric pressure
- measure ionization \sim beam losses



Part of Tevatron abort system

- continuously sample losses (ungated)
- samples every 10 turns, abort on any turn above programmable threshold.
- Conversion 70nA/(rad/s)

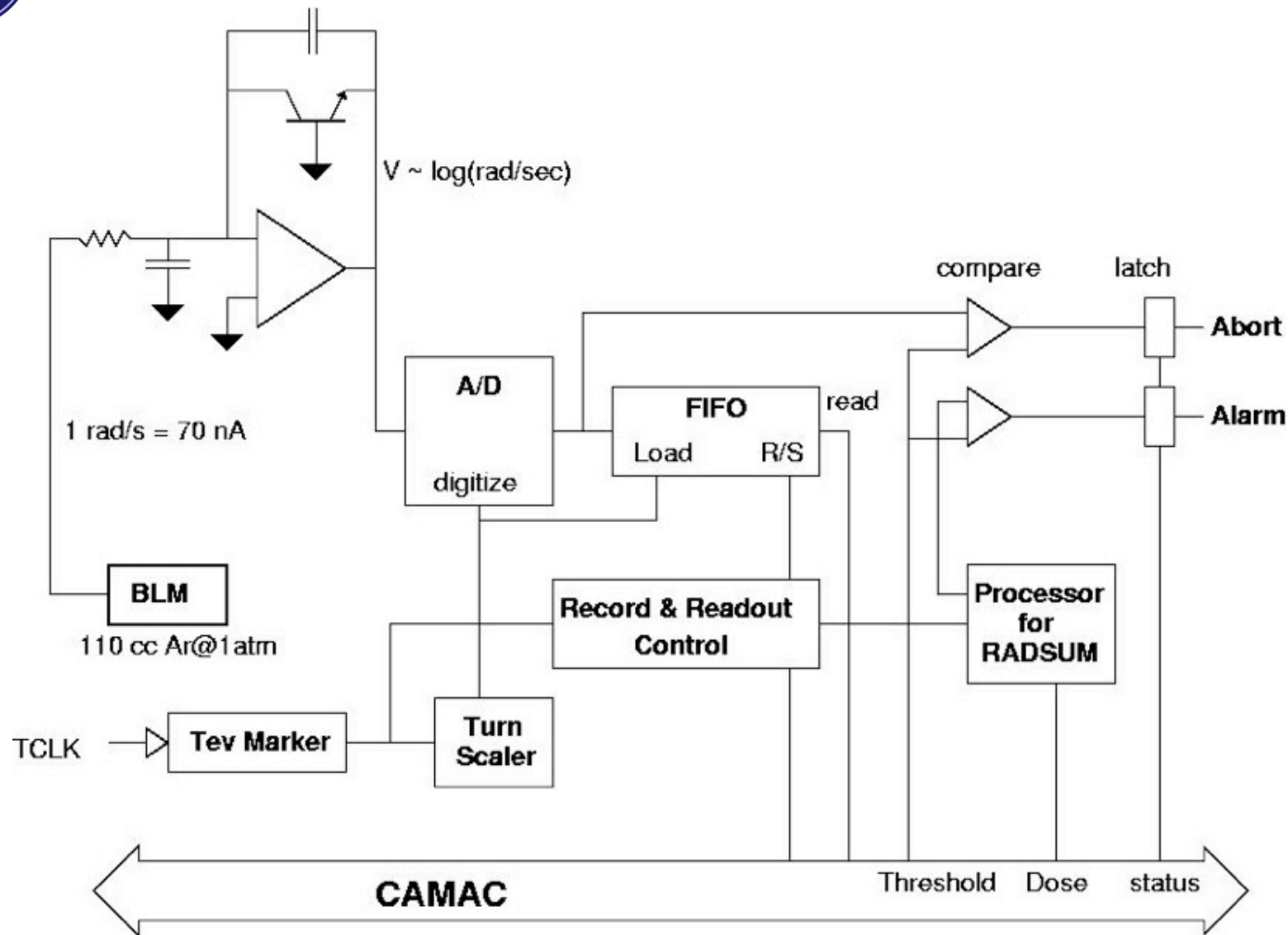
Signal Shaping



Note: Tevatron revolution time = 21 μ s



BLM Electronics



Electronics upgrade 2006-7 to VME based system
o faster sampling/abort capability

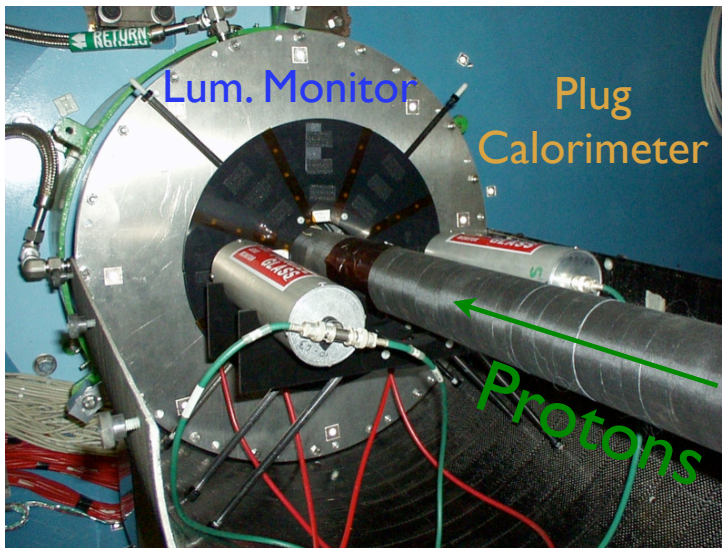


BLMs Locations

BLM
package



CDF

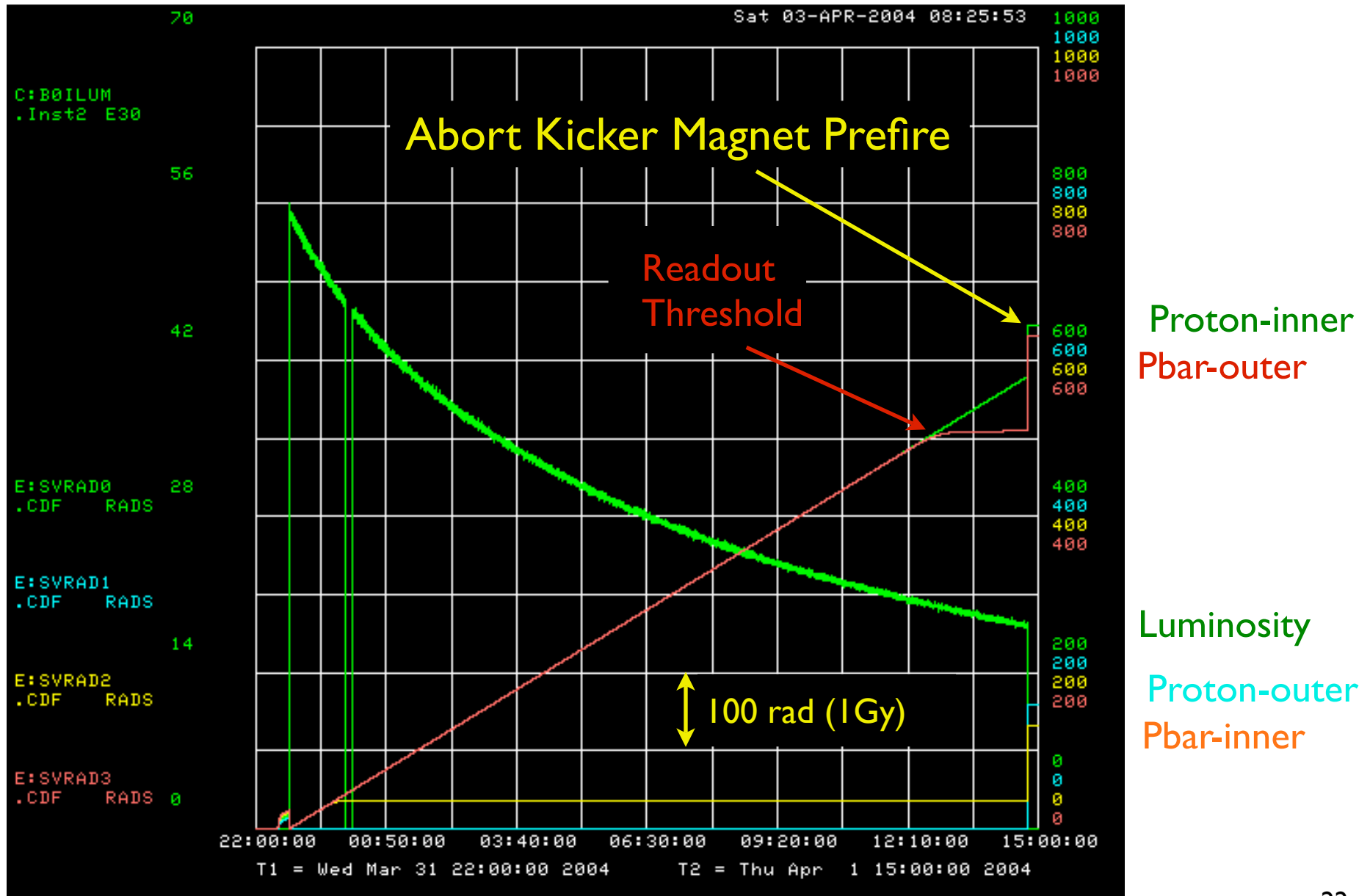


Accelerator Tunnel





BLM Data





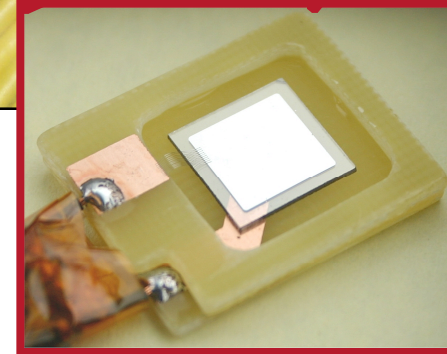
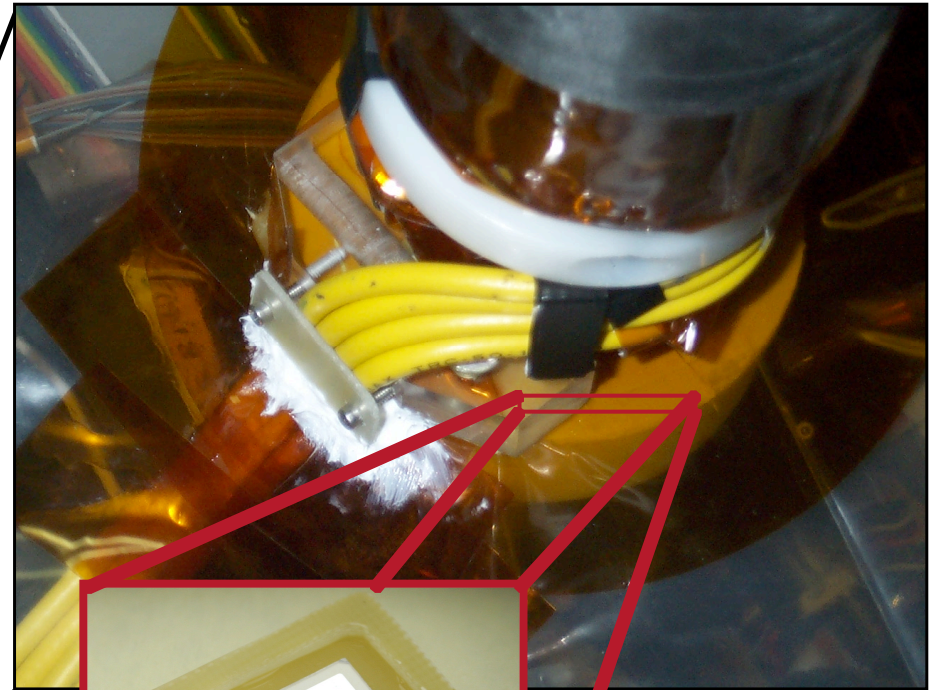
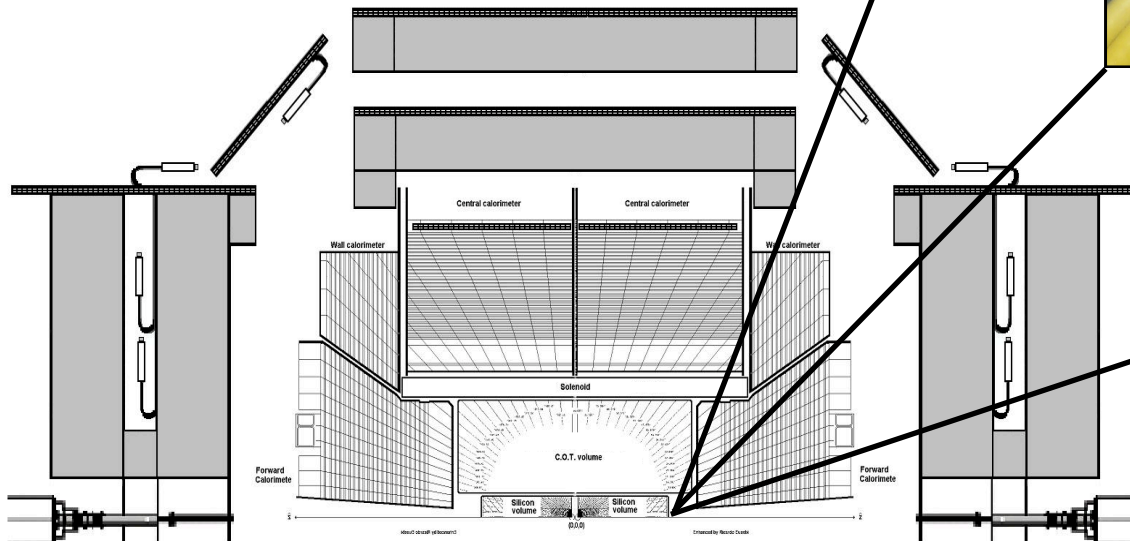
Diamond Beam Monitors

Monitor near SVX

- small
- radiation tolerant
- fast

New BLM electronics

- no development time

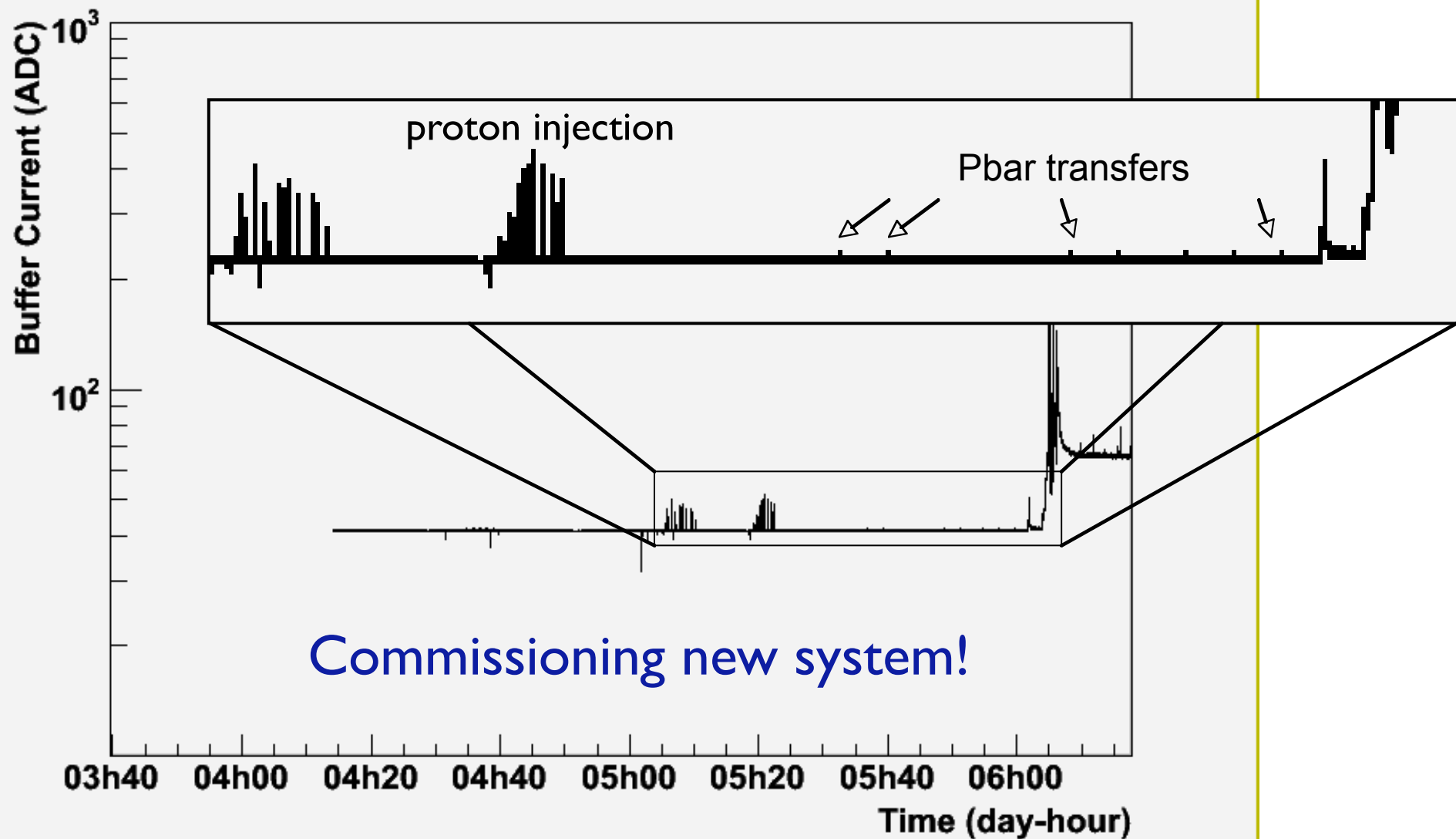


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Diamond Beam Monitors

West Up During Store 4906



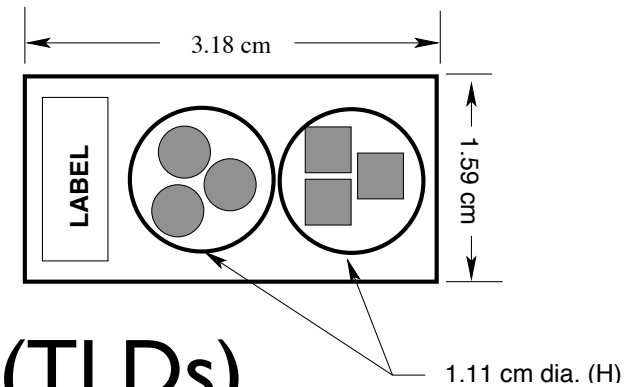
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Radiation Field Maps

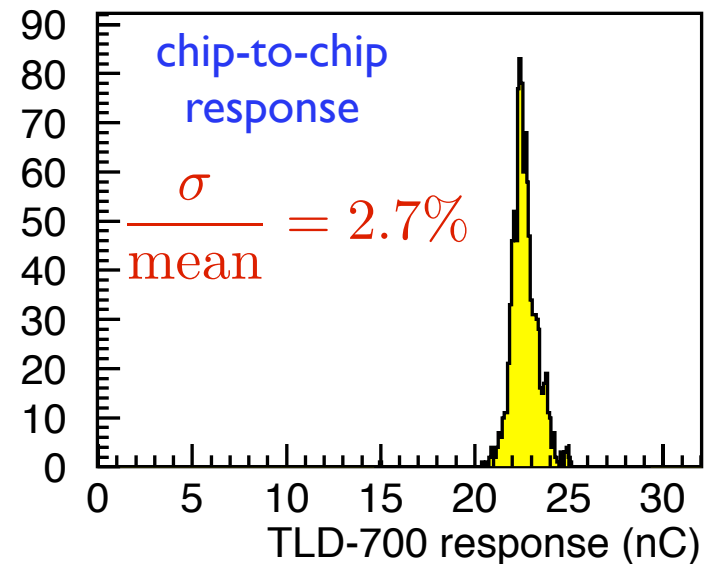
Measure Radiation Field

- understand environment
- calibrate simulations



Thermal Luminescent Dosimeters (TLDs)

- + passive
- + accurate measurement of radiation
- + good dynamic range (10^{-3} - 10^2 Gy)
- + γ, n measurements
- + absolute calibration
- harvest to read
- large amount of handling
- non-linearity at high doses
- only measure “thermal” neutrons

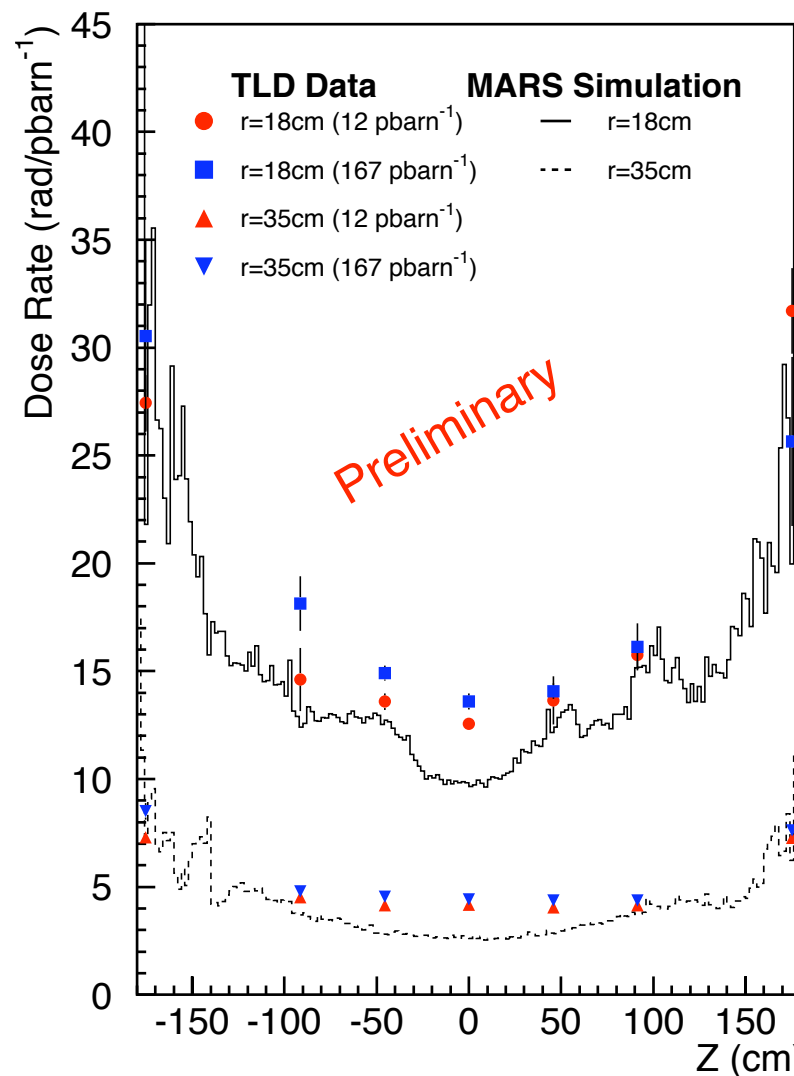
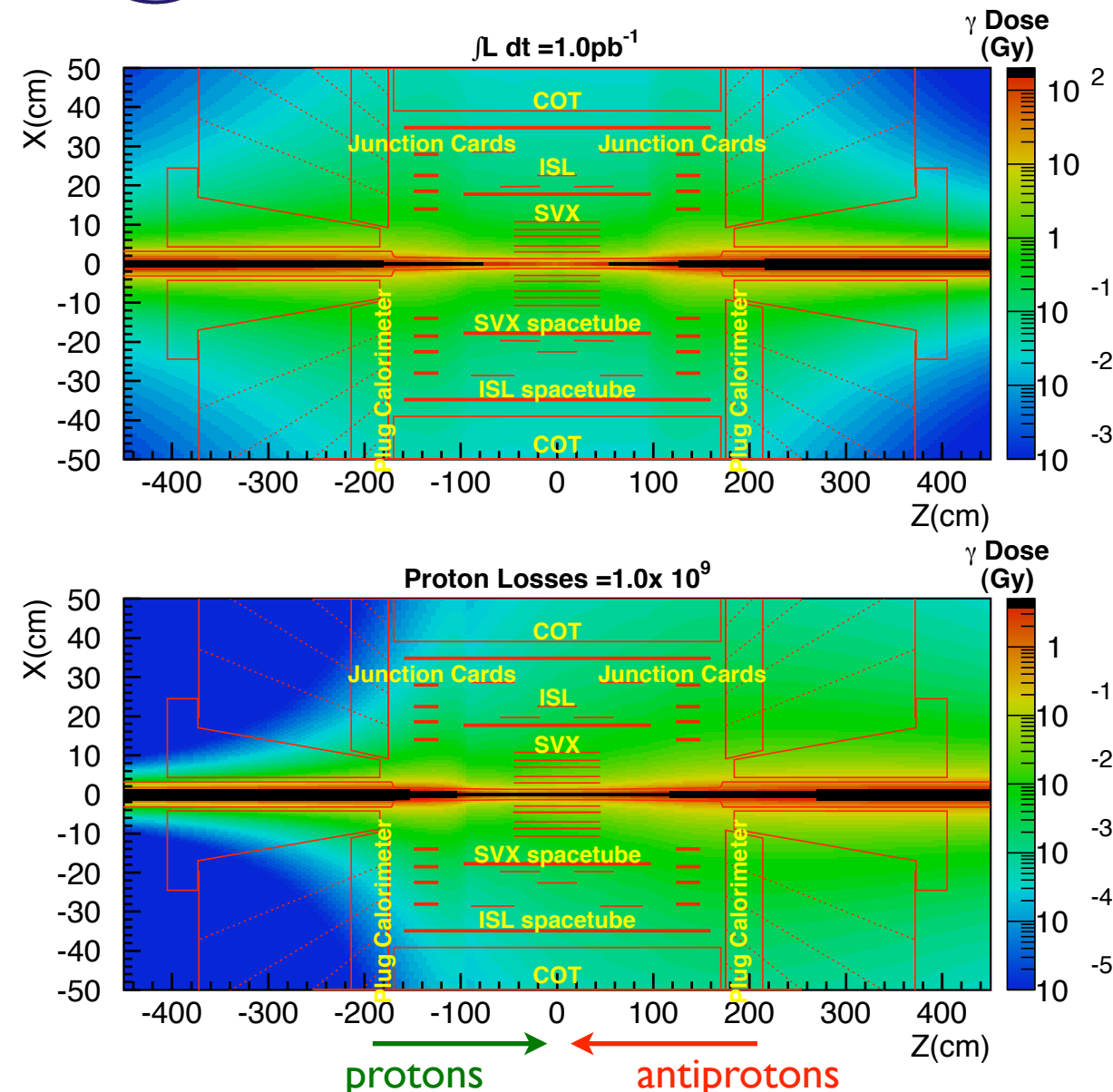




Tracking Volume Ionizing Radiation

Absolute Normalization

3 months tuning simulation



<http://ncdf67.fnal.gov/~tesarek/radiation/iondose.html>



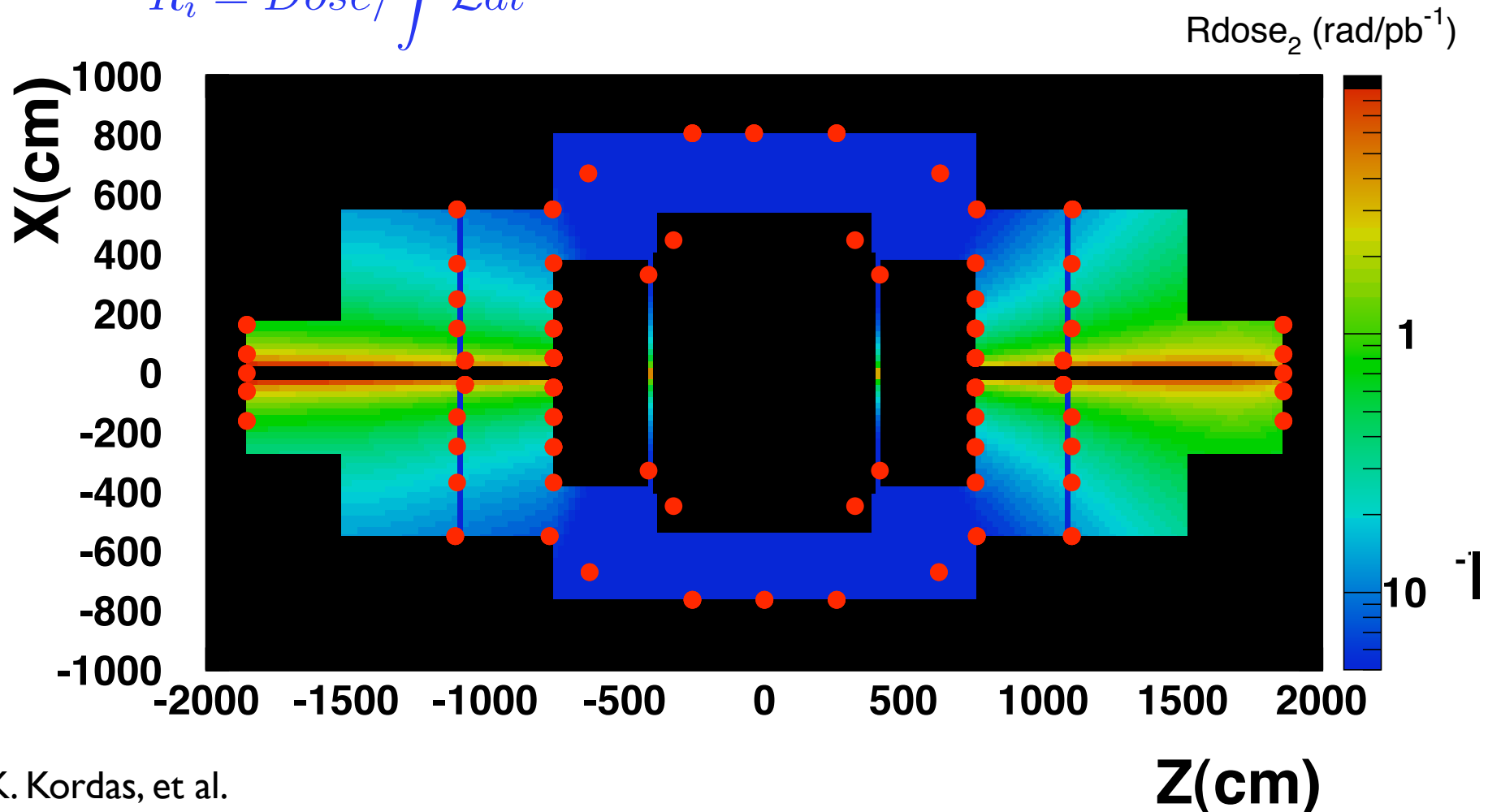
Collision Hall Ionizing Radiation

960 dosimeters installed in 160 locations
Radiation field modeled by a power law

$$Dose = \frac{A}{r^\alpha}$$

r is distance from beam axis

$$R_i = Dose / \int \mathcal{L} dt$$





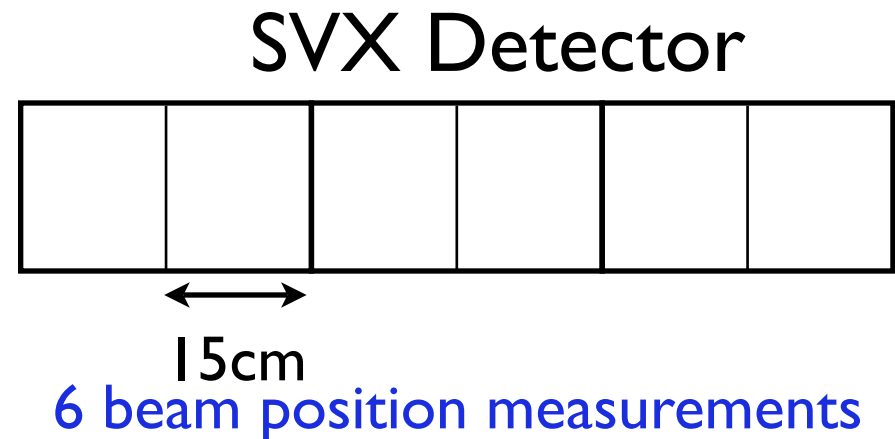
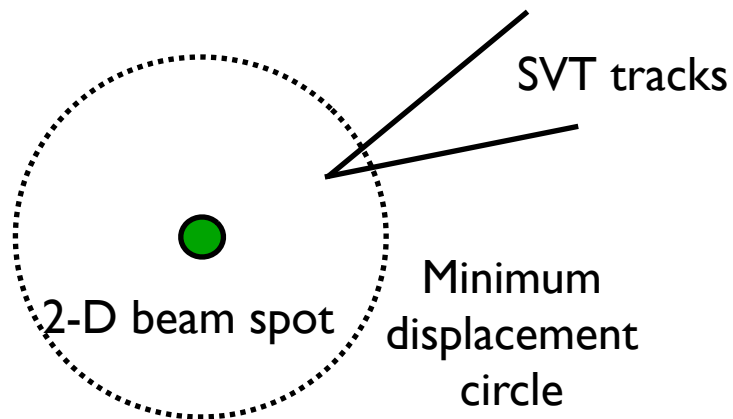
Silicon Vertex Trigger (SVT)

Trigger on tracks displaced from beam

- real time average beam position measurement ($\sigma \sim 50 \mu\text{m}$)
- multiple position measurements gives beam slope

Knowledge of beam position crucial for trigger

Helpful in minimizing localized radiation damage



4mm beam offset yields a dose profile which varies by factor of 3 as a function of phi for L00 ($r = 1.3\text{cm}$).

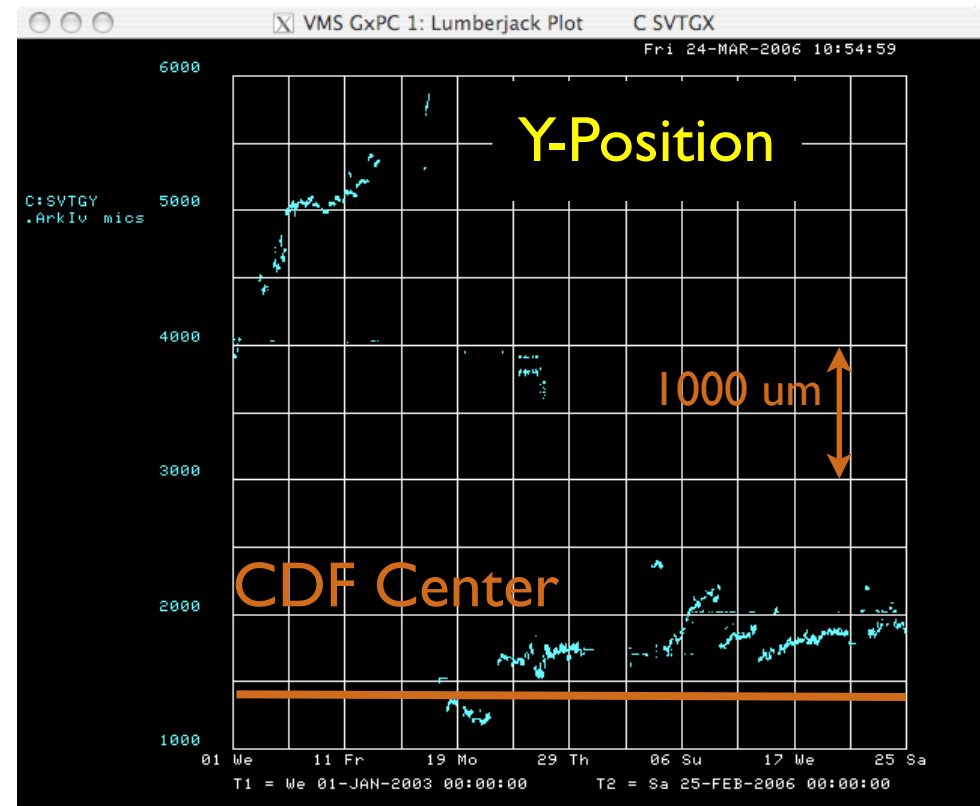
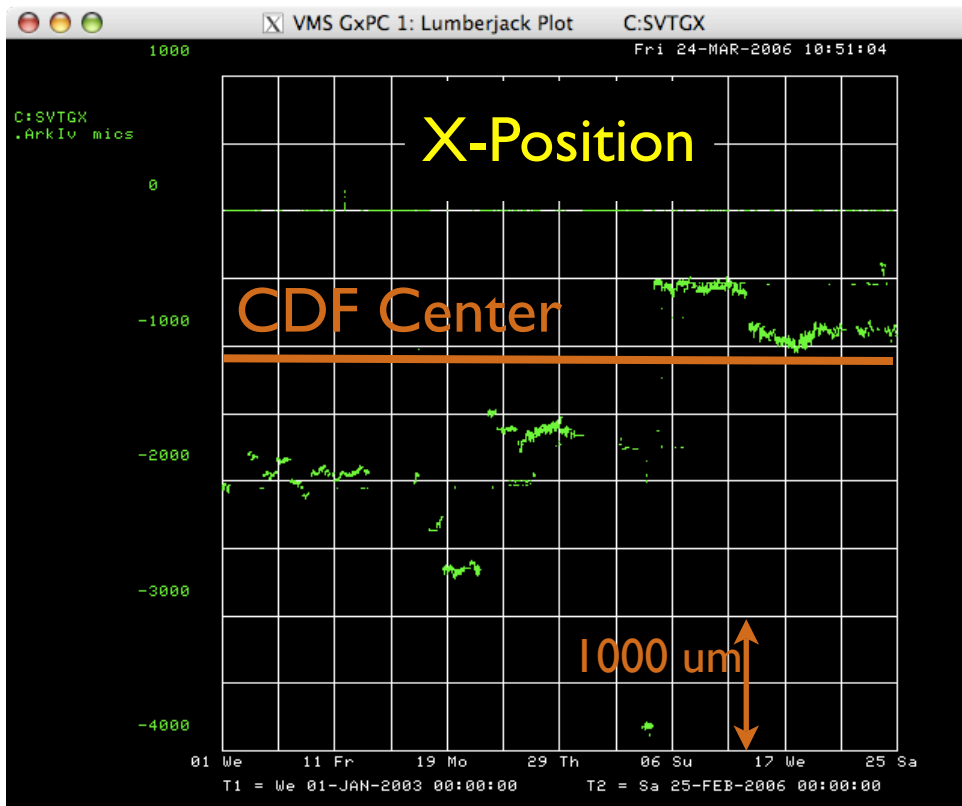


Beam Position in CDF

Beam position and slope measured in real time using SVT

POSITION	ACNET	CDF Center
Horizontal (x)	C:SVTGX	-1160 μm
Vertical (y)	C:SVTGY	1436 μm

History: 1/1/03 - 2/25/06



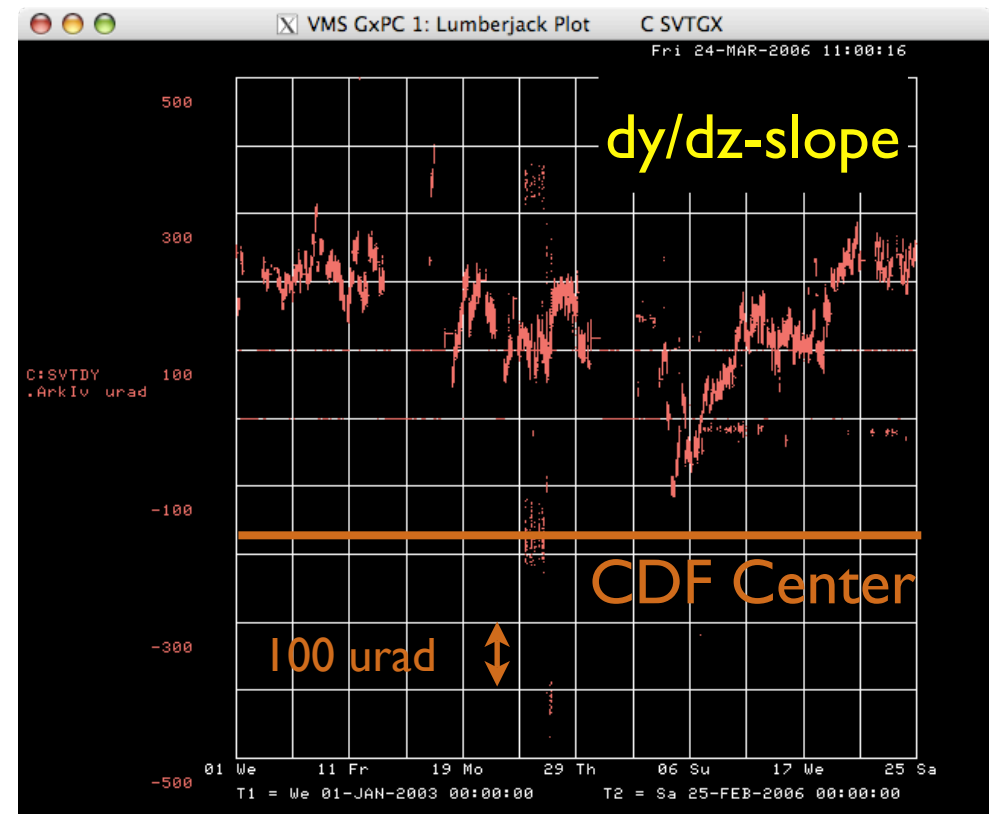
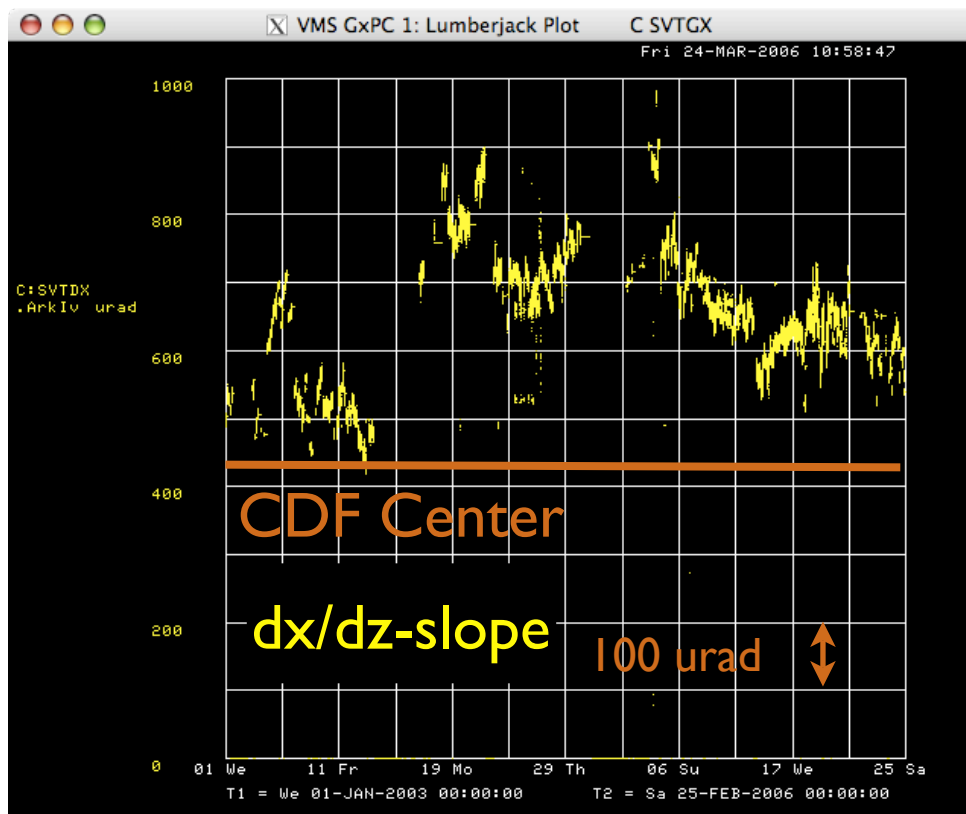


Beam Trajectory Thru CDF

Beam position and slope measured in real time using SVT

SLOPE	ACNET	CDF Center
Horizontal (dx/dz)	C:SVTDX	417 urad
Vertical (dy/dz)	C:SVTDY	-190 urad

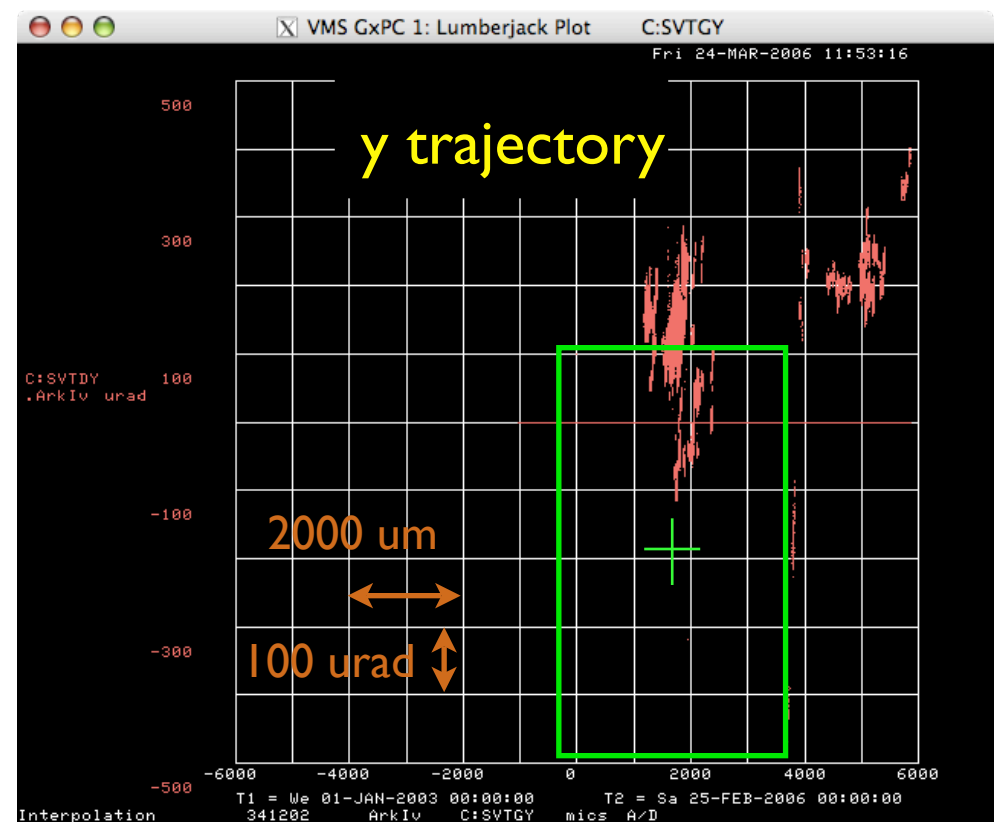
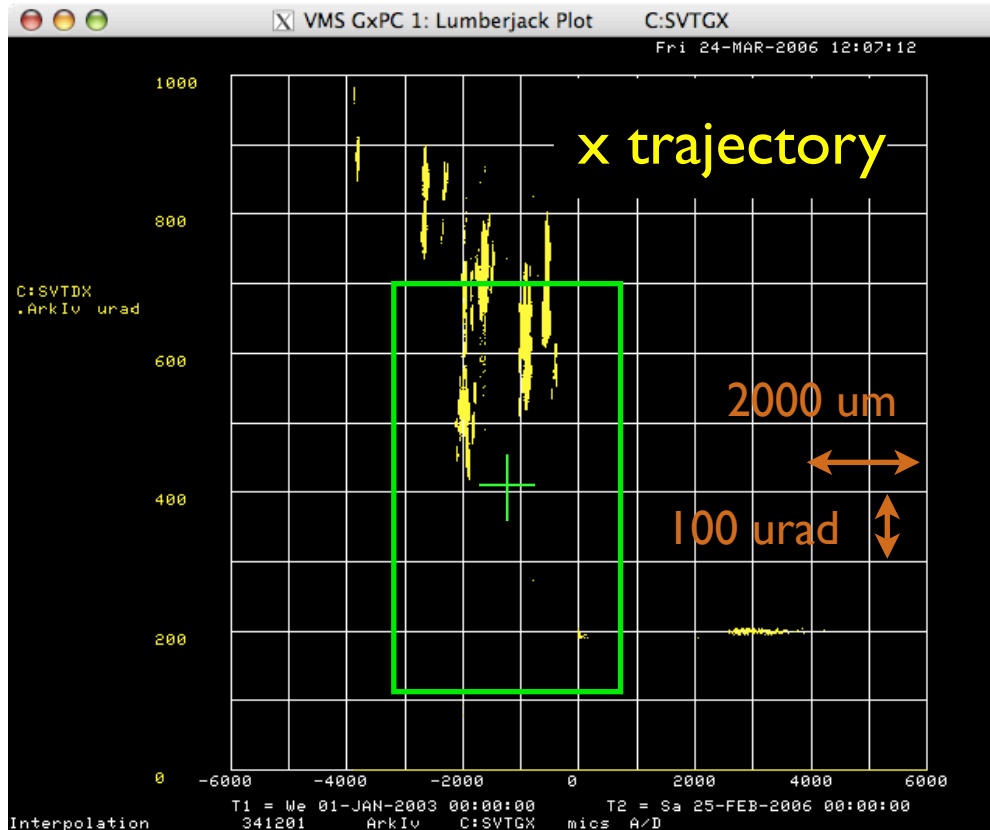
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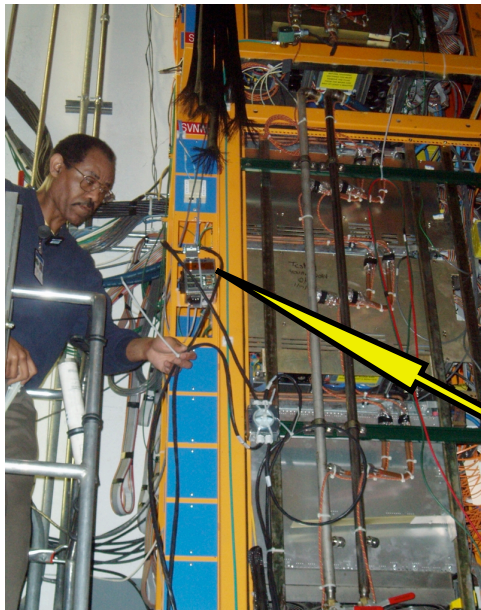
Beam Trajectory Tolerances

Define X and Y trajectory tolerances (boxes)



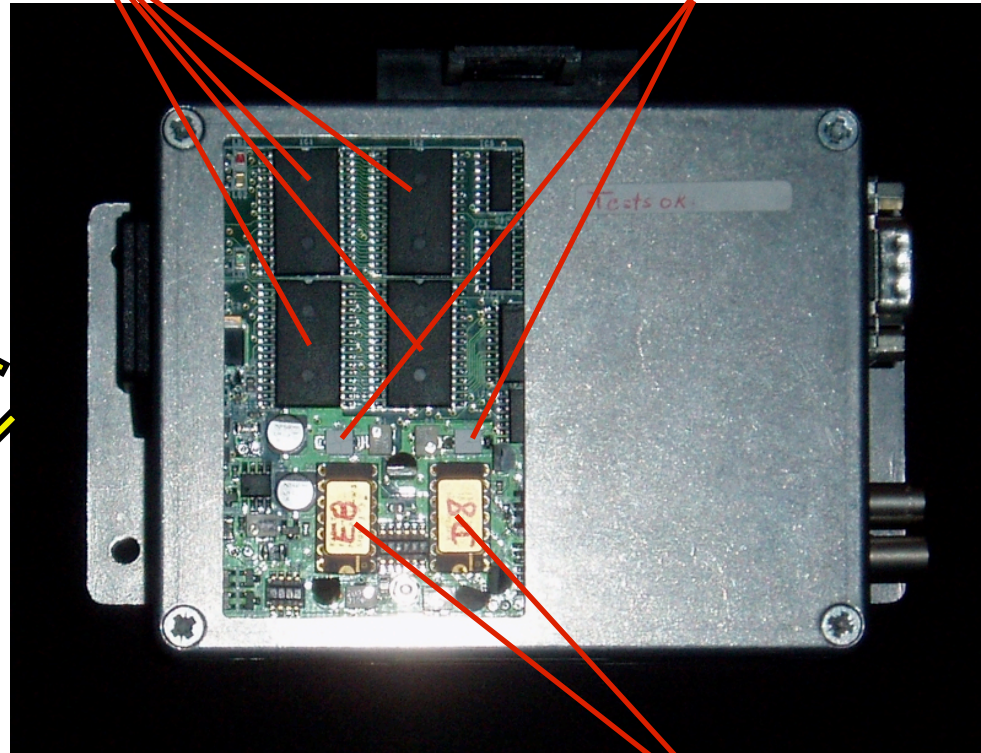
Accelerator operators adjust beam to hit inside boxes

Active Dosimeters



SEU counters (memories)
>20 MeV hadrons

PIN diodes
1 MeV n equivalent

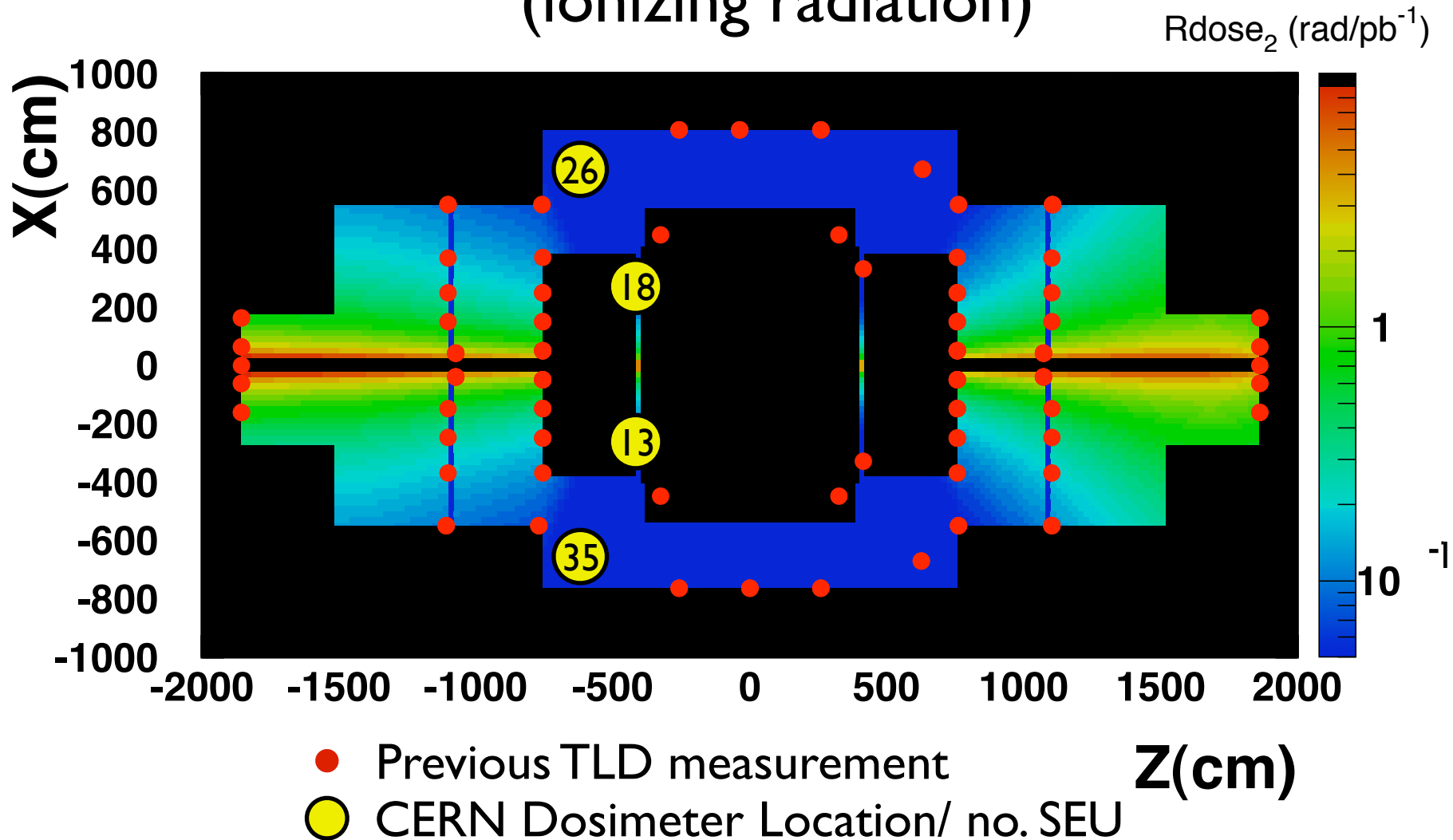


Thijs Wijnands, Christian Pignard
Located near sensitive electronics
Readout at ~ 0.1 Hz
LHC prototype

RadFETs
 γ -e dose



CDF Radiation Field (ionizing radiation)



Exposure Period: 27 April - 28 September 2005



TEVMON

Automate monitoring

- rapid response
- web based
- used in main control room

STATUS OF BEAM CONDITIONS

(Generated by TevMon every 10 seconds)

Latest Update: 12-Jan-03 12:33:37

SILICON DANGER IDLE

NO SCRAPING YET (OR NO BEAM IN MACHINE)

NAME OF VARIABLE	STATUS	T(1 min)	T(5 min)	T(10 min)
MEAN (LOSTP)	OK	198.4375 Hz	198.4375 Hz	198.4375 Hz
RMS (LOSTP)	OK	0.0 (%)	1.3593188E-6 (%)	4.2985434E-6 (%)
MEAN (LOSTPB)	OK	-176.5625 Hz	-176.5625 Hz	-175.72917 Hz
RMS (LOSTPB)	IDLE	0.0 (%)	5.04637E-4 (%)	448.76373 (%)
MEAN (L1COLI)	IDLE	0.17903645 mA	0.18229167 mA	0.18208821 mA
RMS (L1COLI)	IDLE	3.2141218 (%)	3.8403237 (%)	4.291143 (%)
MEAN (BOPAGC)	OK	0.0 Hz	0.0 Hz	0.20047987 Hz
RMS (BOPAGC)	OK	0.0 (%)	0.0 (%)	300.00446 (%)
MEAN (RFSUM)	OK	1.0776666 MV/T	1.0776666 MV/T	1.0777042 MV/T
RMS (RFSUM)	OK	0.028933324 (%)	0.034059256 (%)	0.028565757 (%)
MEAN (RFSUMA)	OK	1.1326667 MV/T	1.1327916 MV/T	1.1328083 MV/T
RMS (RFSUMA)	OK	0.02752838 (%)	0.027964216 (%)	0.027138846 (%)
MEAN (BOILUM)	IDLE	0.0 cm-2s-1	0.0 cm-2s-1	0.0 cm-2s-1
RMS (BOILUM)	IDLE	0.0 (%)	0.0 (%)	0.0 (%)

[TevMon Home Page](#)

[Important DAQ Processes Page](#)

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Netscape



12:33 PM



CDF Experience

Rate of permanent damage to SVX reduced

- better understanding of detector
- automate monitoring conditions of high risk
 - unstable beam (wide RMS for losses)
 - high losses
 - RF voltages
 - bunch length (precursor of debunched beam)
 - beam in abort gaps

Improved TeV performance

- higher luminosity
- lower losses
- reduced halo

Good communication with Main Control Room



Halo Reduction

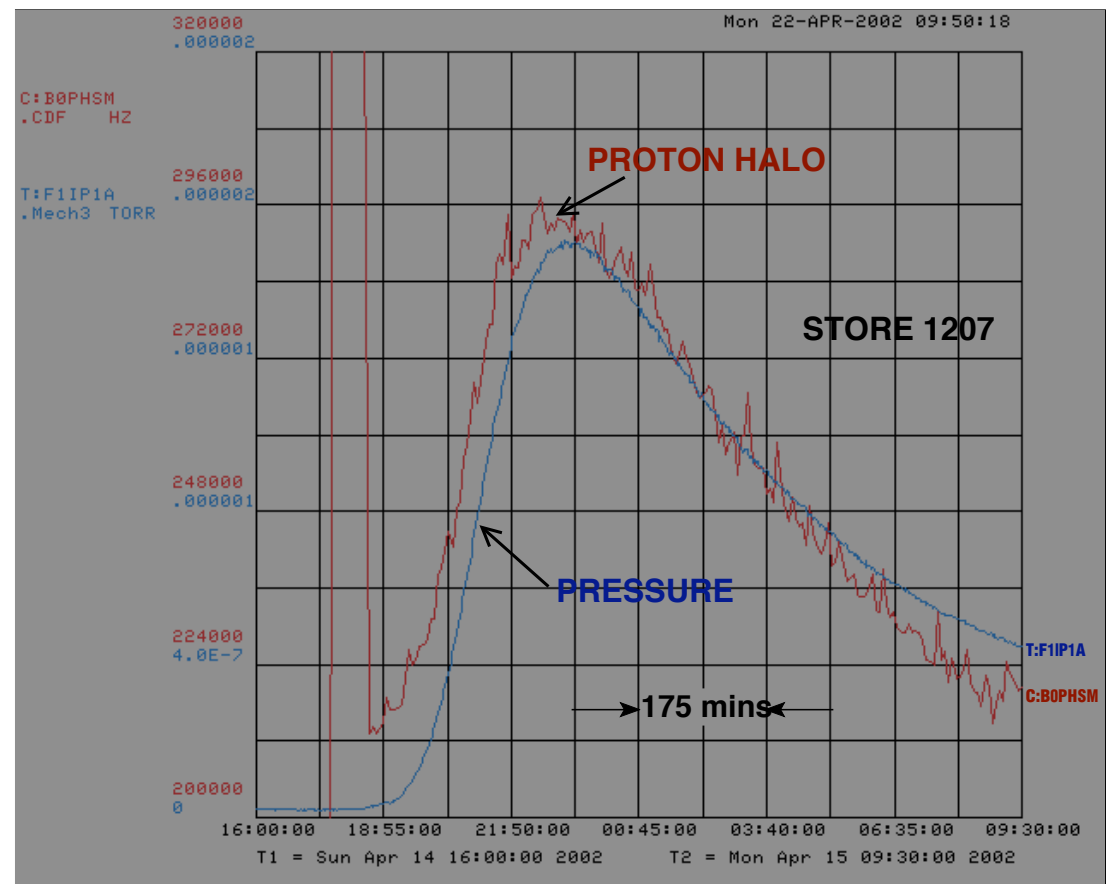
Vacuum problems
identified in 2m long
straight section of
Tevatron (F sector)

Improved vacuum (TeV
wide)

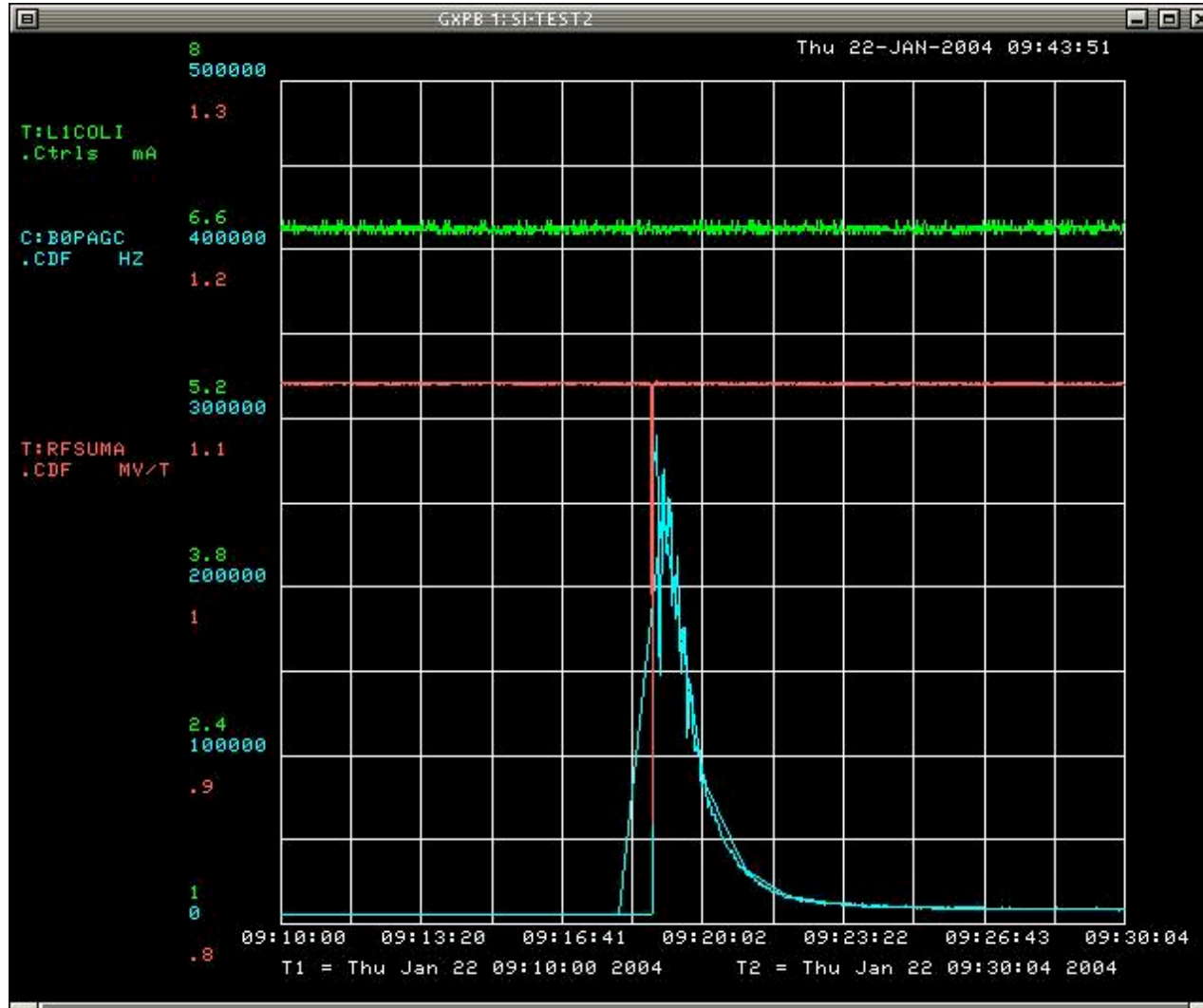
Commissioning of
collimators to reduce
halo

> Physics backgrounds
reduced by ~40%

R. Moore, V. Shiltsev,
N. Mokhov, A. Drozhdin



RF Problem (spark?)



T:L1COLI

T:RFSUMA

Beam driven from
bunches by RF spark.

Increase in abort gap
proton losses.

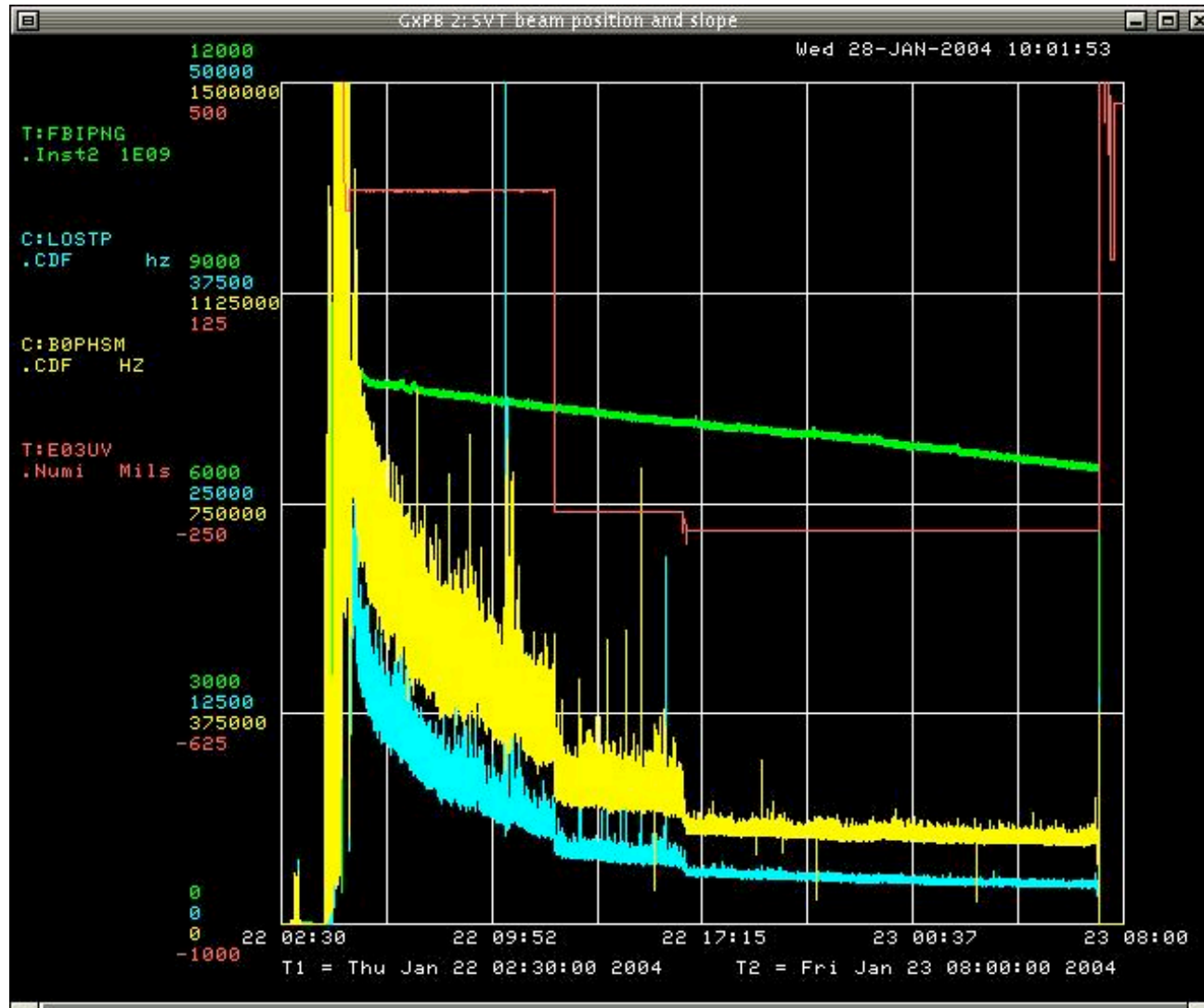
Electron Lens removes
beam from abort gap.

C:B0PAGC



Beam Collimation

Background reduction at work





Typical Store(2004)

Beam Parameters:

Protons: 5000 - 9000 10^9 particles

Antiprotons: 100-1500 10^9 particles

Luminosity: 10 - 50 $10^{30} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$

Losses and Halo:

Quantity	Rate (kHz)	Limit (kHz)	comment
P Losses	2 - 15	25	chambers trip on over current
Pbar Losses	0.1 - 2.0	25	chambers trip on over current
P Halo	200 - 1000	-	
Pbar Halo	2 - 50	-	
Abort Gap Losses	2 - 12	15	avoid dirty abort (silicon damage)
LI Trigger	0.1-0.5		two track trigger (~ 1 mbarn)

Note: All number are taken after scraping and HEP is declared.



Typical Store (2005)

Beam Parameters:

Protons:	5000 - 10000	10^9 particles
Antiprotons:	500-1800	10^9 particles
Luminosity:	50 - 170	$10^{30} \text{cm}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$

Color Codes

better than 2004
worse than 2004
no change

Losses and Halo:

Quantity	Rate (kHz)	Limit (kHz)	comment
P Losses	0.1 - 0.5	25	chambers trip on over current
Pbar Losses	0.1 - 3.0	25	chambers trip on over current
P Halo	15 - 18	-	
Pbar Halo	20 - 100	-	
Abort Gap Losses	0.1 - 15	25	avoid dirty abort (silicon damage)
LI Trigger	0.1-0.5		two track trigger (~ 1 mbarn)

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Crucial Instruments Omitted

Tevatron Electron Lens (TEL)

- TEL induces betatron oscillations in beam when on
- used for cleaning abort gaps & beam-beam compensation
- http://www-bd.fnal.gov/lug/tev33/ebeam_comp/

Synchrotron Light Measurements

- used to monitor DC beam (beam in abort gaps)
- <http://home.fnal.gov/~cheung/synclite/>

Beam Position Monitors

- measure beam position around accelerator

Collimators

- remove halo surrounding beam at safe locations (away from CDF)



What did we do right?

Fast, aggressive reaction to problems

Keep it simple (KIS)

- used existing instrumentation
- added simple scintillation counters & logic
- redundant measurements
- studies with dosimeters
- automated monitoring

Develop understanding of accelerator

- instrumentation
- consult accelerator physicists to reduce risk from beam

Documented our work

- web pages
- internal notes



What did we do wrong?

Reacted to problems we could have anticipated

- lack of shielding
- little initial understanding of accelerator

Few, poorly understood beam monitors

- initially little/no documentation

No local accelerator expertise

Initial instrumentation lifetime

- radiation damage to scintillator
- no in-situ calibration



Summary

Multiple, redundant systems provide good monitors of beam conditions.

Detector technologies used at CDF

- Cherenkov counters
- scintillation counters
- ionization chambers
- Diamond detectors
- CERN “RadMon” Monitors

Only useful in combination w/accelerator information.

Close work with accelerator physicists required.



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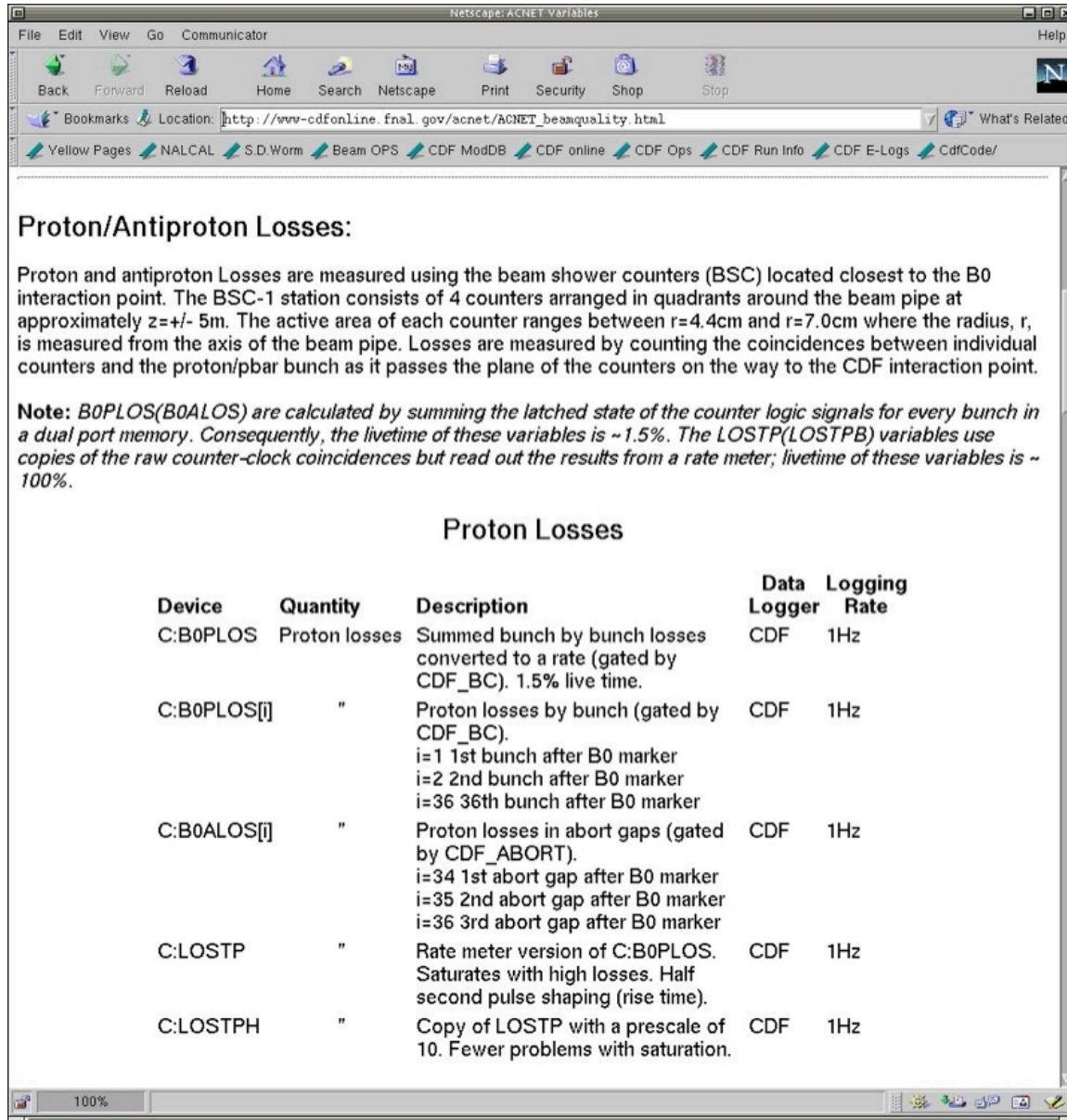
Radiation:

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Backup Slides

Documentation



Proton/Antiproton Losses:

Proton and antiproton Losses are measured using the beam shower counters (BSC) located closest to the B0 interaction point. The BSC-1 station consists of 4 counters arranged in quadrants around the beam pipe at approximately $z = \pm 5$ m. The active area of each counter ranges between $r = 4.4$ cm and $r = 7.0$ cm where the radius, r , is measured from the axis of the beam pipe. Losses are measured by counting the coincidences between individual counters and the proton/pbar bunch as it passes the plane of the counters on the way to the CDF interaction point.

Note: B0PLOS(B0ALOS) are calculated by summing the latched state of the counter logic signals for every bunch in a dual port memory. Consequently, the livetime of these variables is $\sim 1.5\%$. The LOSTP(LOSTPB) variables use copies of the raw counter-clock coincidences but read out the results from a rate meter; livetime of these variables is $\sim 100\%$.

Proton Losses

Device	Quantity	Description	Data Logger	Logging Rate
C:B0PLOS	Proton losses	Summed bunch by bunch losses converted to a rate (gated by CDF_BC). 1.5% live time.	CDF	1Hz
C:B0PLOS[i]	"	Proton losses by bunch (gated by CDF_BC). i=1 1st bunch after B0 marker i=2 2nd bunch after B0 marker i=36 36th bunch after B0 marker	CDF	1Hz
C:B0ALOS[i]	"	Proton losses in abort gaps (gated by CDF_ABORT). i=34 1st abort gap after B0 marker i=35 2nd abort gap after B0 marker i=36 3rd abort gap after B0 marker	CDF	1Hz
C:LOSTP	"	Rate meter version of C:B0PLOS. Saturates with high losses. Half second pulse shaping (rise time).	CDF	1Hz
C:LOSTPH	"	Copy of LOSTP with a prescale of 10. Fewer problems with saturation.	CDF	1Hz

http://www-cdfonline.fnal.gov/ops/acnet/ACNET_beamquality.html



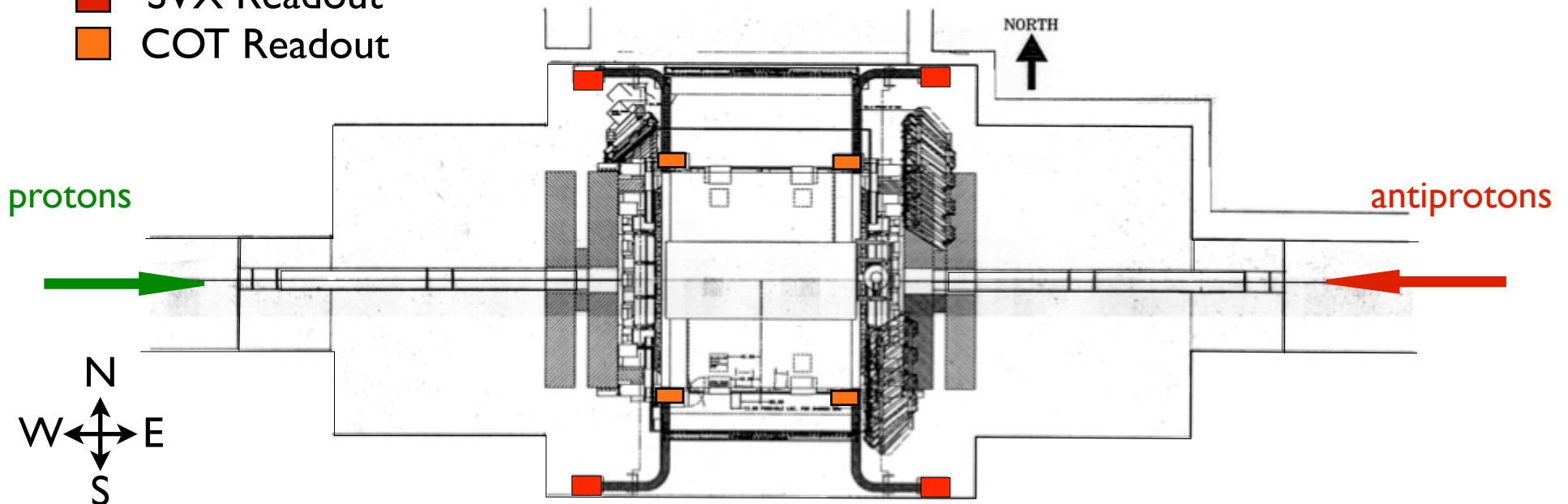
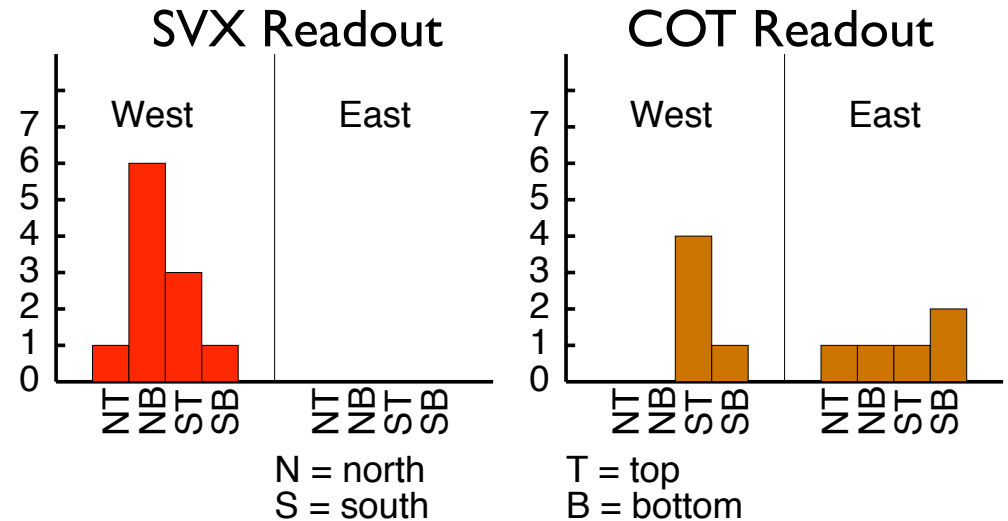
CDF VME Power Supply Failures

Failure Characteristics

- Position Dependent
- Beam Related
- Catastrophic
- Switching supplies only
- failure rate $\sim 3/\text{week}$
- 12 supplies failed in 1 day

■ SVX Readout
■ COT Readout

Failure Locations



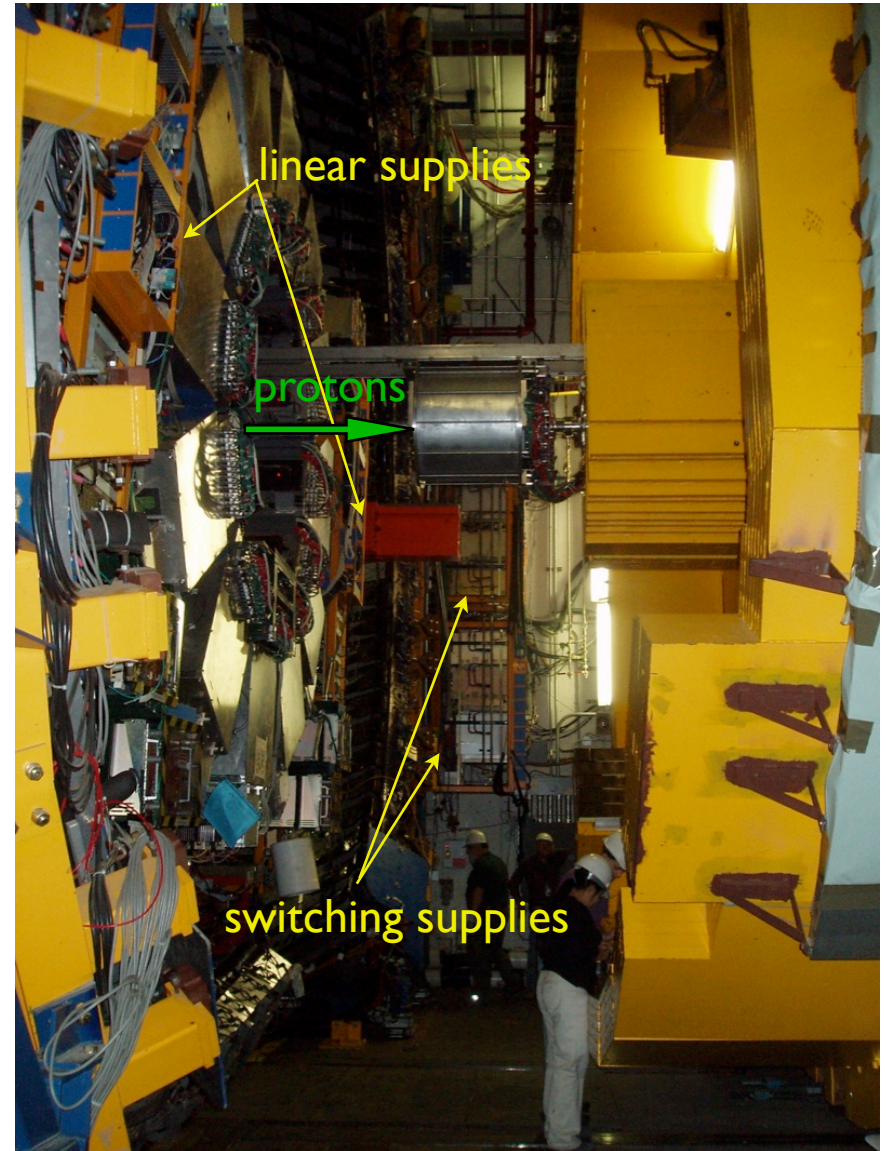


St Catherine's Day Massacre

12 switching power supplies failed in an 8 hour period.

- only during beam
- only switching supplies
- failures on detector east side
- shielding moved out
- new detector installed
- beam pipe misaligned

Conclusion: Albedo radiation from new detector



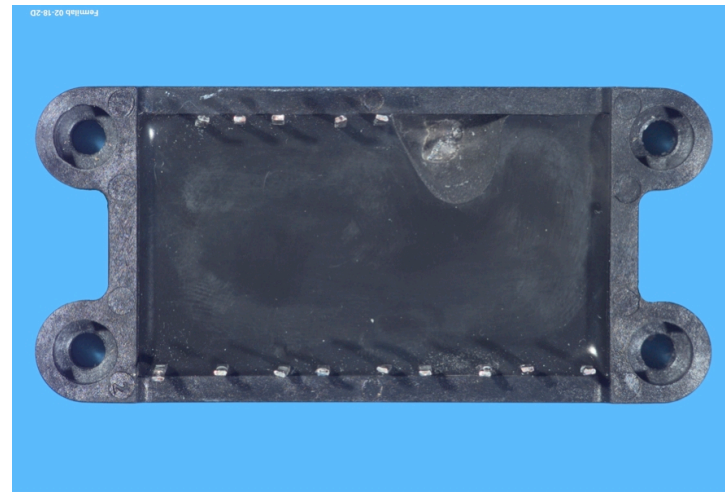
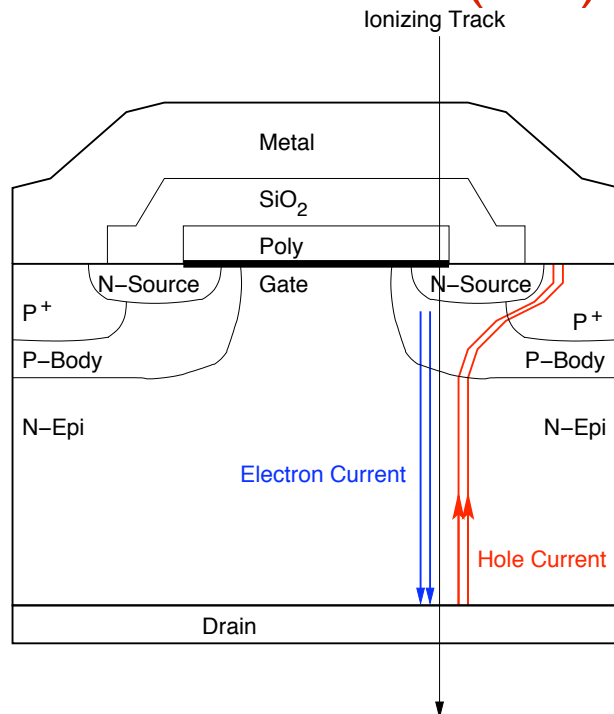


L.V. Power Supply Failures

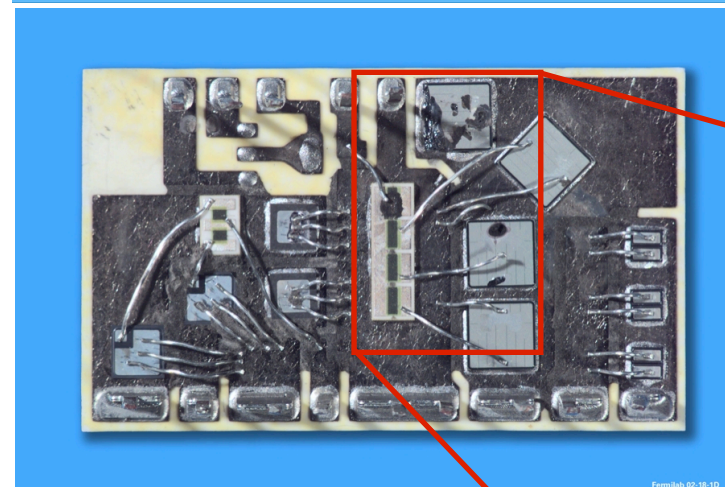
Power Factor Corrector Circuit

Most failures were associated with high beam losses or misaligned beam pipe

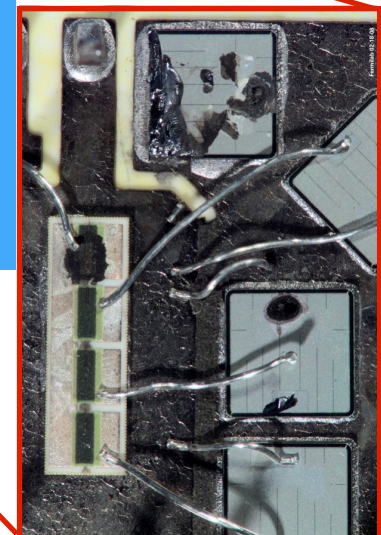
> Power MOSFET Single Event Burnout (SEB)



epoxy covering fractured



silicon in MOSFET sublimated during discharge through single component



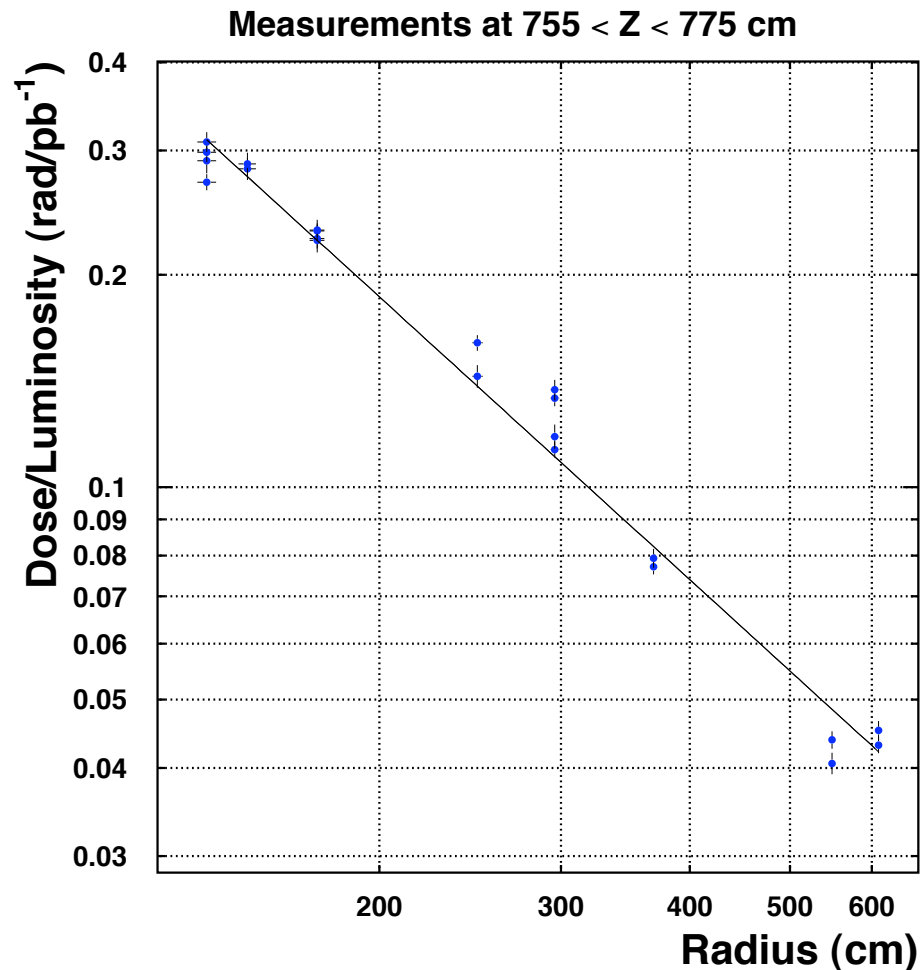
Modeling the ionizing radiation field

- a) Losses are not negligible, even in the \bar{p} side
- b) Shielding on the p side has reduced dose rates by $\sim 25\%$
- c) No separation of loss/collision contribution point-by-point
 \Rightarrow construct total radiation field.

Simple model (D. Amidei et al.: NIM **A320** (1994) 73)

- Cylindrical symmetry about the beam
- Field follows power law in $1/r$ (r = distance from beam)

$$\text{Dose}(r) = A r^{-\alpha}$$

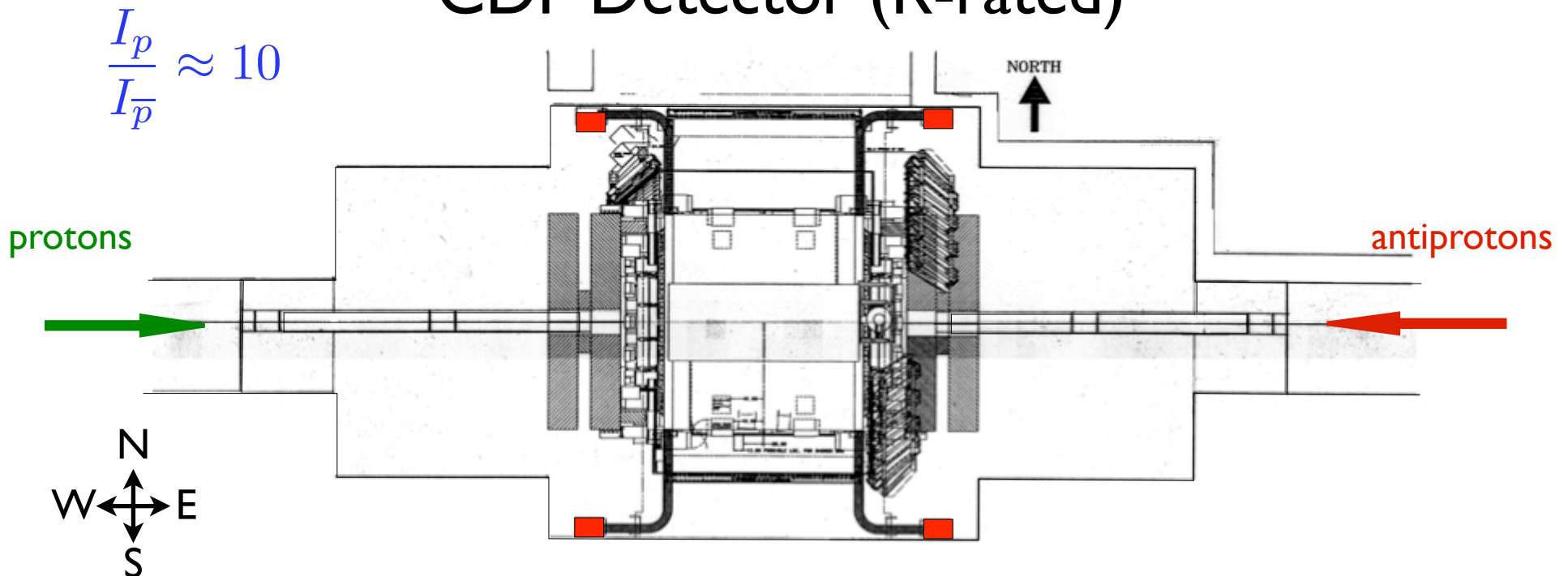




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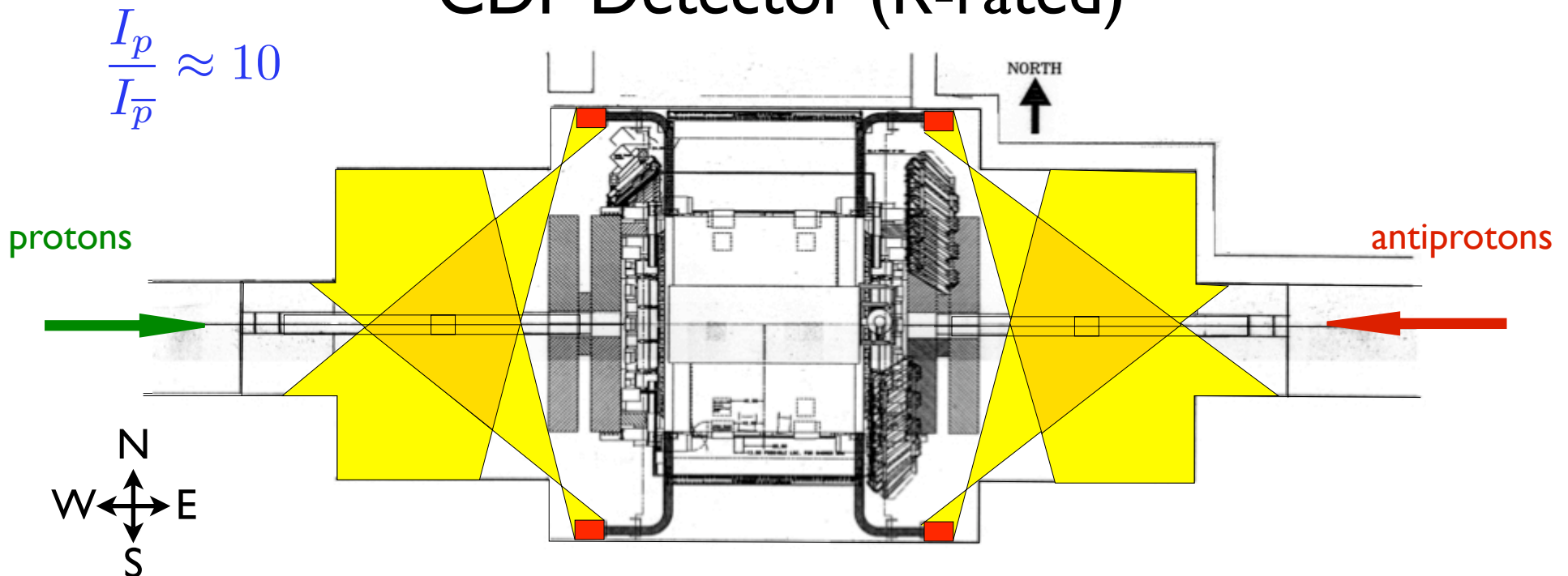




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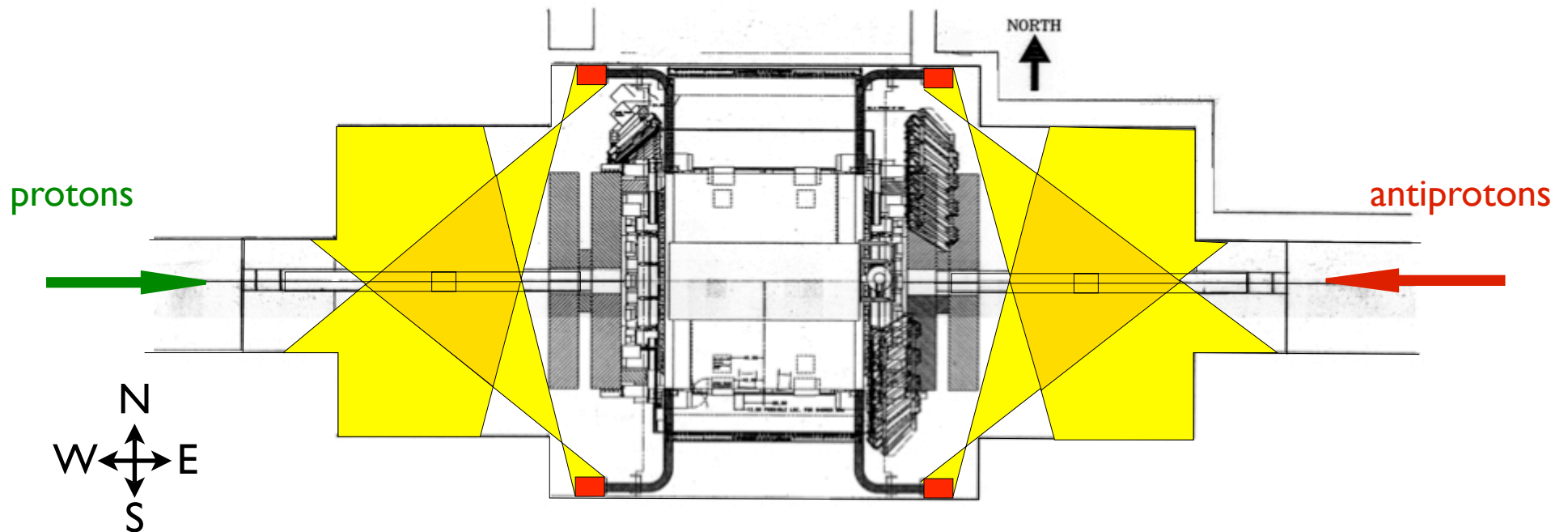




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CDF Detector w/ additional shielding





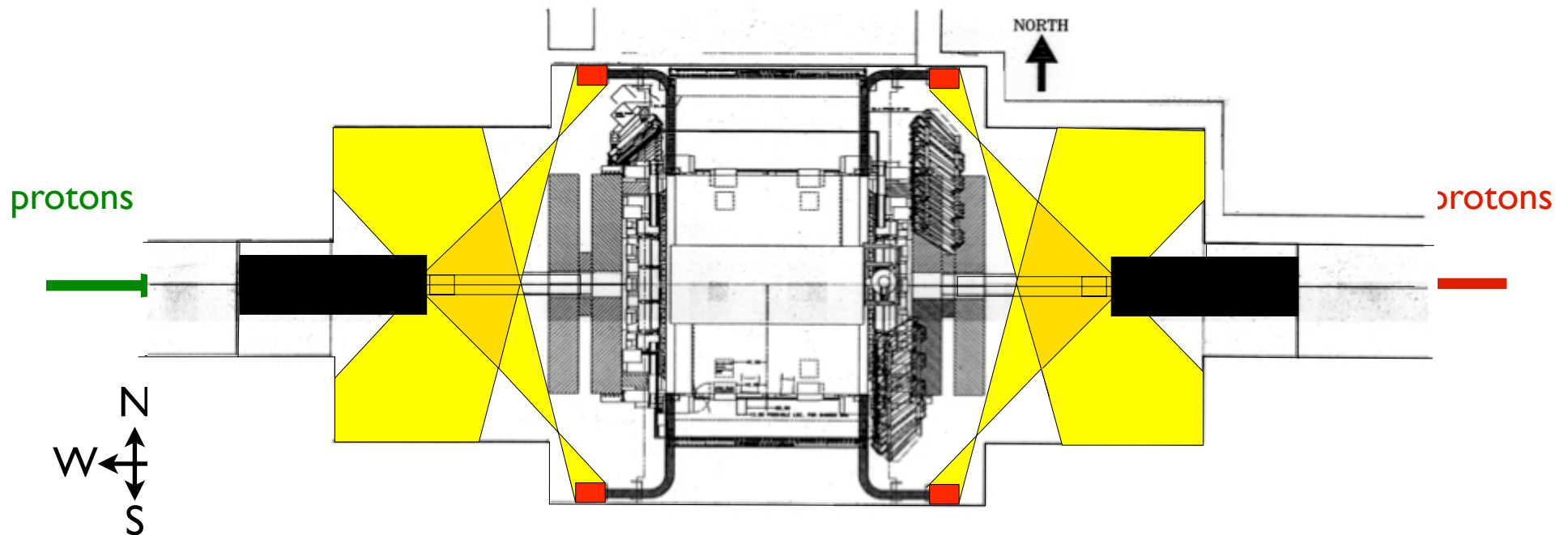
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Reduces solid angle seen by power supplies by 25%

What do measurements tell us?

CDF Detector w/ additional shielding



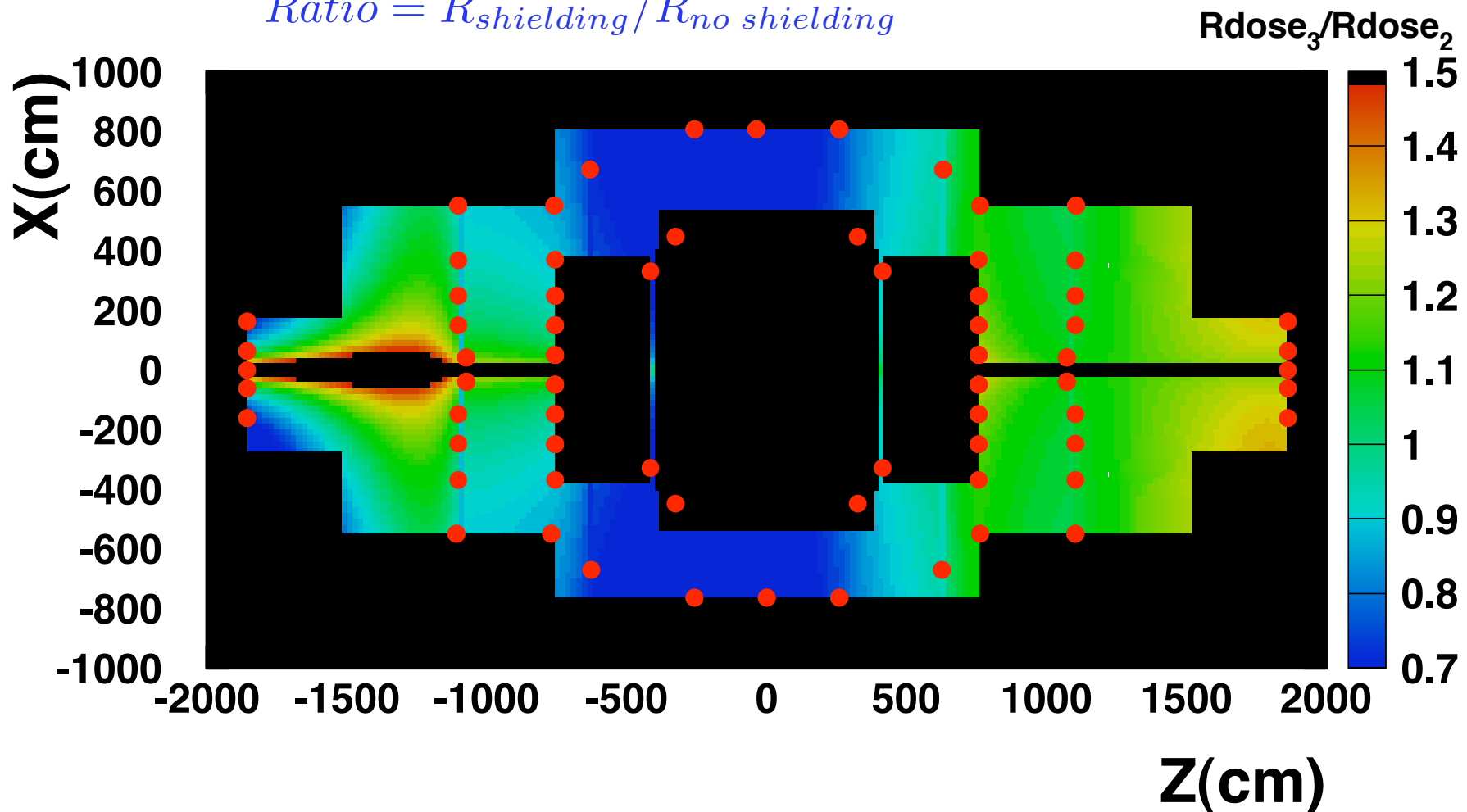


Collision Hall Ionizing Radiation

Shielding effectiveness (west side only)

- Ionizing radiation reduced by 20-30% near affected power supplies
- What about neutrons?

$$Ratio = R_{shielding} / R_{no\ shielding}$$

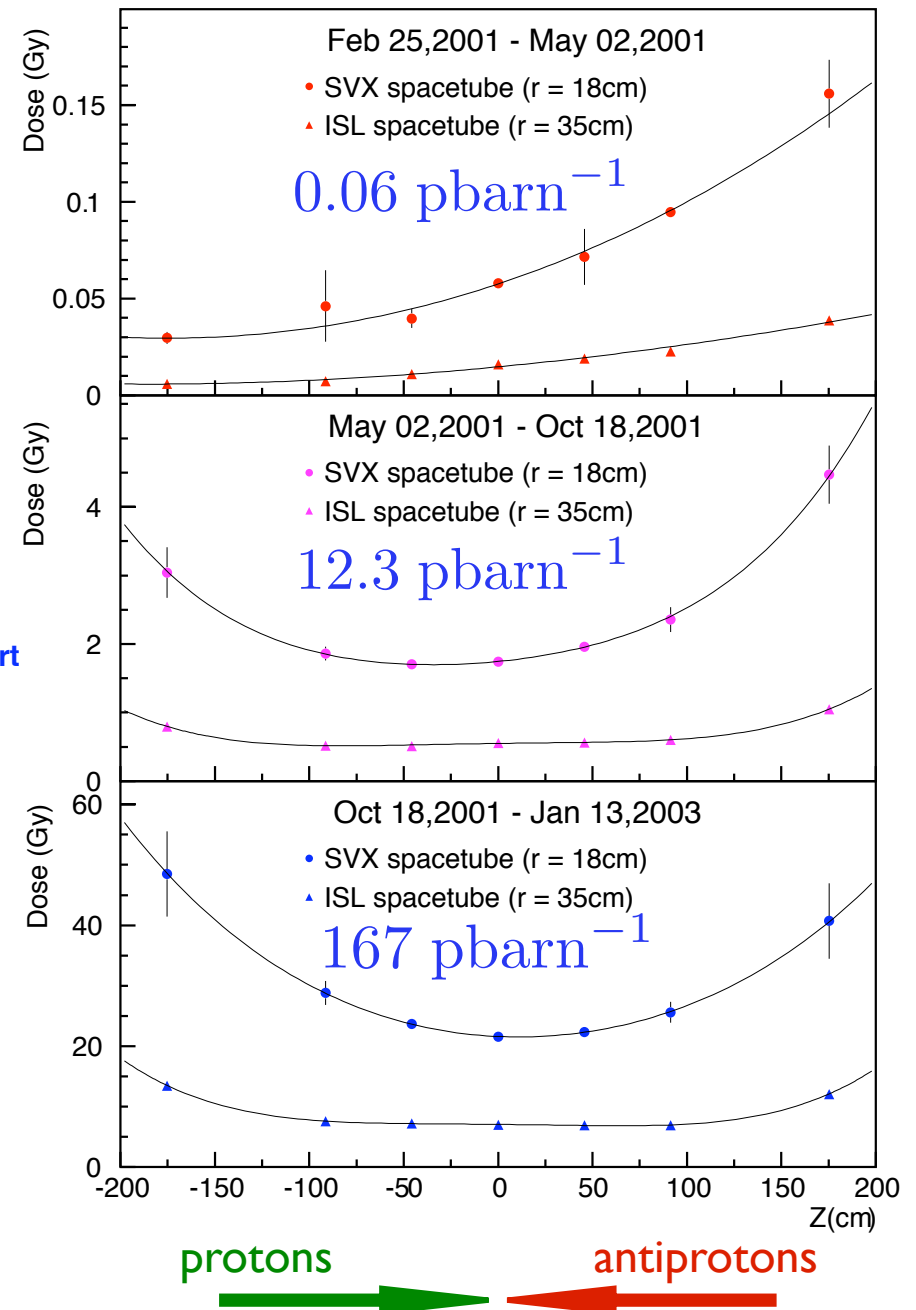
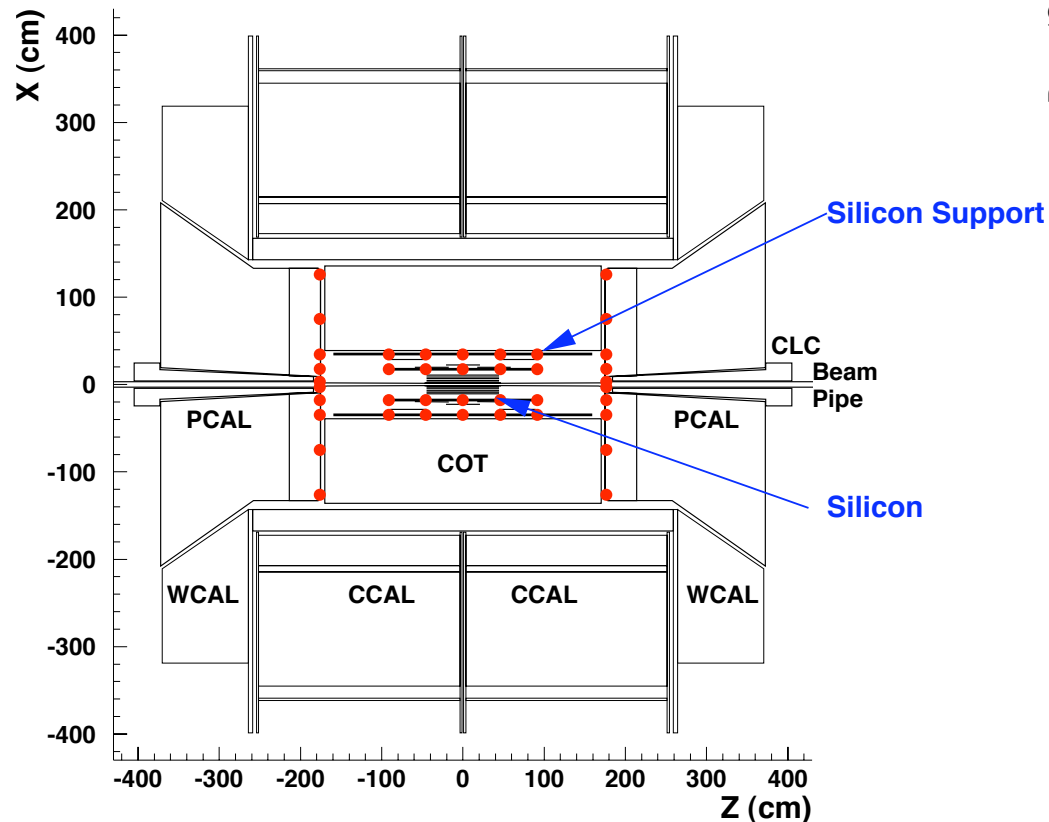




Radiation Measurements

TLDs installed in tracking volume
3 exposure periods

- 0.06 pbarn^{-1} (p-loss dominated)
- 12.3 pbarn^{-1}
- 167 pbarn^{-1}





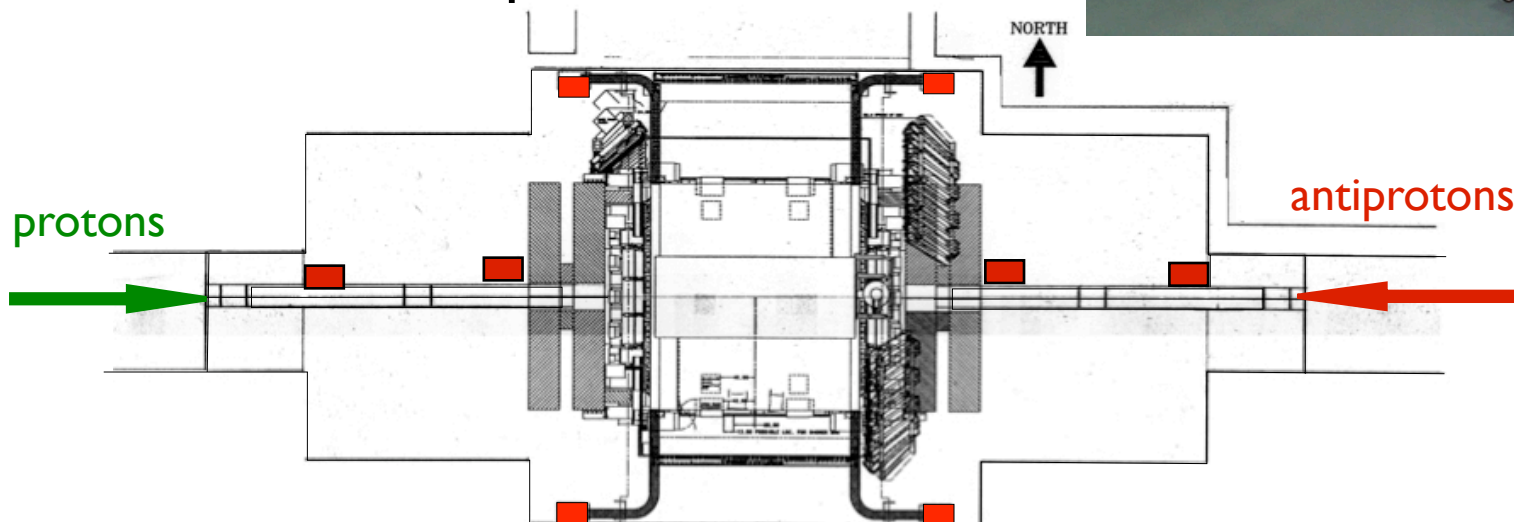
Neutron Spectrum Measurement

- Evaluate Neutron Energy Spectrum
 - Bonner spheres + TLDs
 - ~1 week exposures
 - Shielding in place
- Measuring neutrons is hard
- Work in progress...

Polyethylene “Bonner” spheres



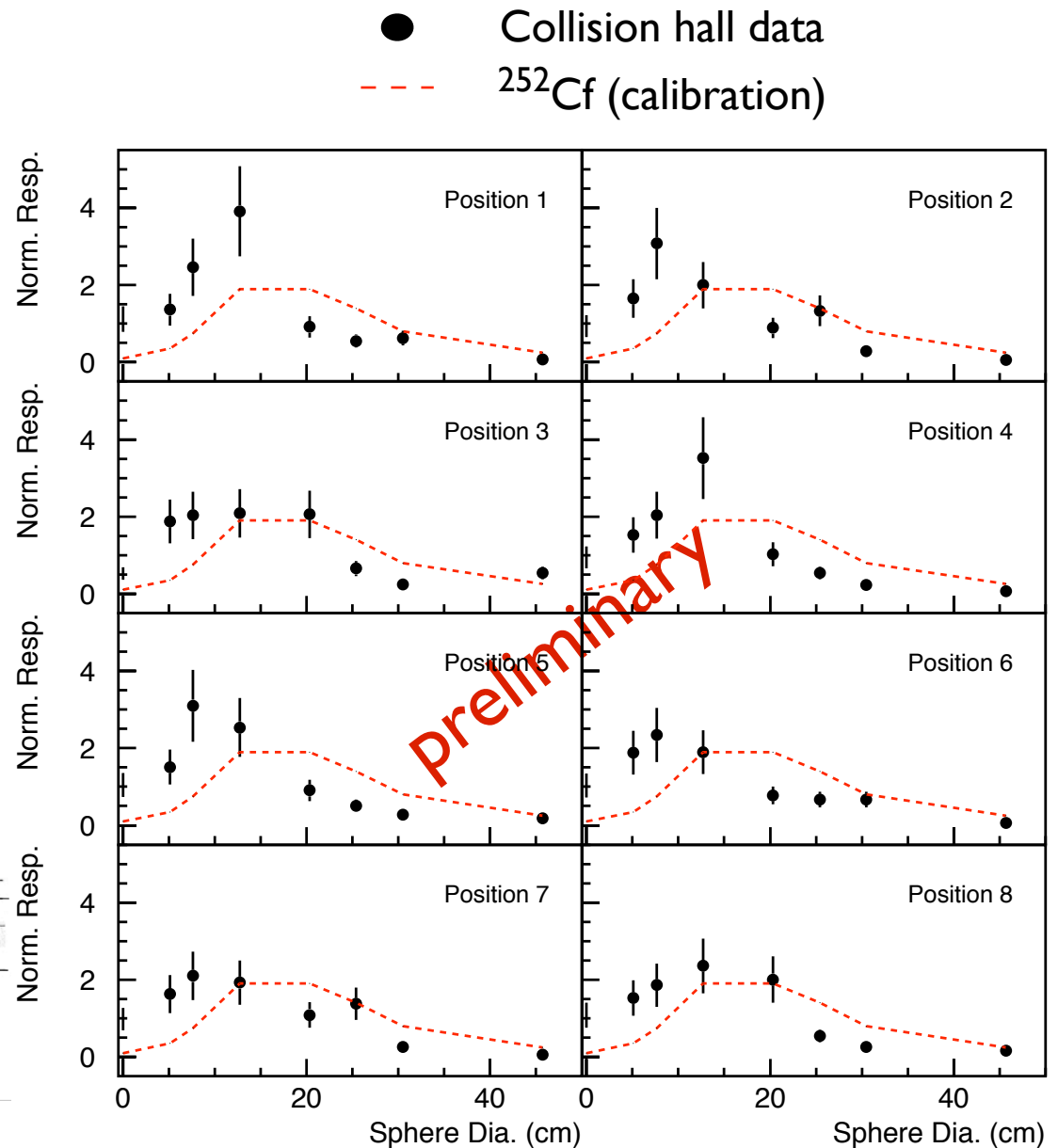
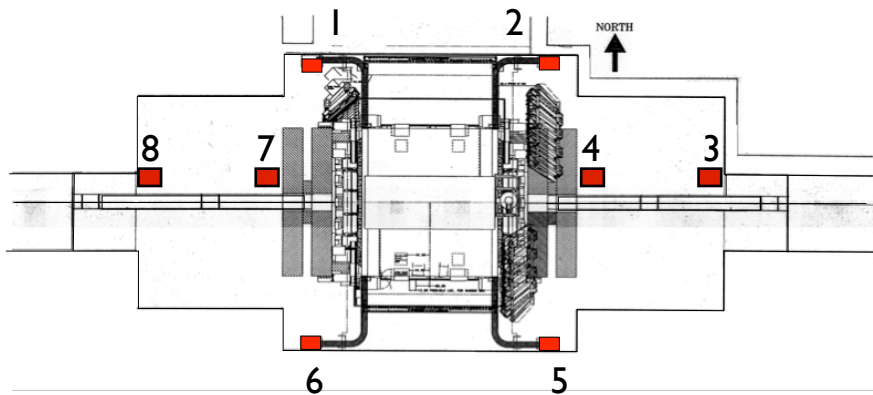
Bonner sphere locations





Neutron Data

- Compare data with ^{252}Cf
 - spontaneous fission
 - ~ 20 n/decay
 - $\langle E_n \rangle \sim 2$ MeV
- Data show average $E_n < 2$ MeV
- To do:
 - understand E_n distribution
 - neutron fluence



W. Schmitt, et al.